

Man Killed When He Runs In Front Of Auto Near Ellwood

FIRE DESTROYS HOTEL

Struck By Auto Man's Injuries Result Fatally

Frank Phillips, 47, Stone
Company Watchman
Is Killed

ACCIDENT NEAR ELLWOOD CITY

West Pittsburgh Man Driver
Of Car Figuring In Mis-
hap, Tell Facts

Frank Phillips, 47, watchman
at the Consolidated Stone
company plant on the Wampum-
Ellwood road, was killed about
6 o'clock Thursday evening when
struck by an automobile driven
by Joseph J. Butera, 23, of West
Pittsburgh.

The accident happened on the
Wampum-Ellwood road, near the
plant of the Consolidated Stone
company. Phillips was walking on
the road. Butera was driving toward
Ellwood City. Butera ditched his car in an attempt to avoid striking
Phillips.

Taken To Ellwood.

After the accident Butera ran to
the home of Elmer Newswander
near by for assistance. Newswander
responded. He and Butera put
Phillips in Butera's car and he was
rushed to the Ellwood City hospital,
but was dead when he arrived.

Phillips had his skull fractured
and was otherwise injured about

(Continued On Page Two)

REPORT AGREEMENT ON POST OFFICE SITE

All the difficulties surrounding the
sale of the property on the Public
Square to the government for a post
office site have been ironed out and
action will now be speeded towards
the completion of the plans for the
building as it is anticipated. Mrs. Mary
Wilder Clark, owner of the building
on the southwest corner of the
square has consented to sell her
property, and the occupants of the
barber shop in the adjoining building
have agreed to surrender their
lease.

The matter has hung fire for some
weeks and for a time it appeared as
though the government might have
to take condemnation action to
(Continued On Page Two)

OAK STREET FIRE AUTHORITIES LOSS \$400; HUNT INCENDIARY

East Siders who looked forward to
sleeping well the night before
Christmas were rudely awakened in
the wee hours of early Friday morning
when central and fourth ward
firemen sped to 713 Oak street,
scene of a \$400 blaze. Oak street
fire and police to be the work of
an incendiary.

The building, a frame, vacant at
the time of the fire, but until a
few days occupied by the Frank
Reed family which had moved to
Chestnut street, is owned by Myron
S. Consal, Assistant Fire Chief
Stockman, aided by firemen and Police
Officers M. J. Young and Ralph
Criswell investigated the blaze and
found it had started on the first
floor stairs, burned the stairs and
stairway and hall on the second
floor, set fire to a bed and scorched
paper and furniture paint on both
floors.

Searchers found Fire Chief Lynn
reported that kerosene was noticeable
in the interior. A quantity of
kerosene in a glass container had
been retrieved from the fire and
brought to central fire station.
Neighbors are reported to have told
investigators that a small explosion
preceded the fire. Firemen from both
stations succeeded in checking
the advance of the flames. The
building loss was reported at \$300
and the contents \$100.

The furniture damaged in the
fire belonged to the owner of the
building, Consal, who had moved the
furniture in after the Reeds moved
on the ground.

It was another 12 hours of heavy
duty that the firemen of the
city's postoffice spent today, following
the usual after-Christmas schedule.
Santa sort of hesitated for
some, but today his late packages
were carted to the homes. There
was the customary hard work for
the postoffice boys today.

For several years past the town
of New Bedford has had one of
Lawrence county's largest and most
gaily ornamented Christmas trees.
It's said that this year is no exception.
Out there a new and unique
lighting system was installed to
enhance the illuminated tree and give
it a revolving effect. R. H. Shields,
West Laurel avenue, for one, wants
the town to know he didn't fail to
see it.

The Christmas decorations in
front of houses at the top of the
Youngstown hill certainly looked
pretty last night. Porches were
adorned with brilliant lights and
trees on the front lawns were also
alight.

Pa. News will miss the pretty fir
forest on Washington street when
it is removed.

Snow failed to come in large
quantities but winds unmercifully
(Continued On Page Two)

Daily Weather Report

U. S. weather bureau statistics
for the 24-hour period ending at 9
o'clock this morning follow:

Maximum temperature, 33.
Minimum temperature, 22.
Precipitation, 0.2 inch.
River stage, 5.6 feet.

Statistics for the 24-hour period
ending at 9 o'clock Friday morning
(Christmas) are as follows:

Maximum temperature, 60.
Minimum temperature, 33.
Precipitation, 4.3 inch.

River stage, 7.1 feet.

Statistics for the same dates a
year ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 38.
Minimum temperature, 25.
Precipitation, 1.7 inch.

December 25—
Maximum temperature, 32.
Minimum temperature, 16.
No precipitation.

(Continued by posse)

Deputy Sheriff
Shot To Death

National Miners' Union Leader
Is Being Sought By Posse
As Slayer

(Continued by posse)

Police At Beaver Falls Make
Discovery Of Bodies; Alco-
hol Can Found

(Continued On Page Two)

Beaver Falls, Pa., Dec. 26.—A
Christmas day drinking party to-
day had caused the deaths of two
men. Both victims died from
drinking denatured alcohol, accord-
ing to the county coroner's office.

The dead are William Dunn, of
Beaver Falls, and Charles Goettchell,
64, of East Liverpool. They were
found dead in a barn where Dunn
made his residence.

Police charged that they found a
gallon jug of radiator alcohol near
the bodies.

(Continued On Page Two)

Martha Ann Wright, 2, Avalon.

Woman Held For Alleged Part In Recent Kidnapping

Mrs. Ethel Depew, of Kan-
sas City, Held For Part
In Donnelly Kidnapping

Congressman Intervenes IS ARRESTED IN

BLOOMSBURG, VA.

Claims Husband Deserted
Her In Buffalo—Will Be
Extradited To Missouri

(International News Service)

BLOOMSBURG, Va., Dec. 26.—
Mrs. Ethel Depew, of Kansas
City who spent a "very nice
Christmas" in the Columbia
county jail, today awaited ar-
rival of extradition papers which
will send her back to Missouri to
face charges in connection with
the kidnapping of Mrs. Nell Don-
nelly, wealthy apron manu-
facturer.

Authorities meanwhile pressed a
search for her husband, Marshall
Depew, sought as alleged leader of
the kidnapping ring which released
Mrs. Donnelly and her chauffeur
after holding them captive in a farm
house near Kansas City.

Deserted By Husband

Mrs. Depew maintains her hus-
band deserted her in Buffalo last
Wednesday. Yesterday, however, a
taxicab bearing New York license
plates and carrying a man and a
woman as passengers, was seen sev-
eral times in the streets of Bloom-
sburg.

Bloomsburg police, their sus-
picion aroused, gave chase to the
cab after it had circled the town
several times but lost the machine
in traffic.

R. S. Hemingway, counsel for Mrs.
Depew, said he did not believe she
was being returned to Kansas City
to face the capital charge of kid-
napping but that authorities were
using the charge as a ruse to ex-
tradite her as a material witness,
since she could not be extradited
simply as a material witness.

Mrs. Depew spent part of yester-
day, by grace of Sheriff Arthur
Rabb, with her aged parents, Mr.
and Mrs. George Walters, and that,
she said, "Made it a fine Christ-
mas.

Youngstown, Ohio, Youth
Kills Companion In At-
tempted Holdup

(International News Service)

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 26.—
Nine persons were killed when the
Birmingham Special, of the South-
ern railway, crashed into an auto-
mobile crowded with Christmas rev-
ellers at the down road crossing here
today.

Four of the dead were members
of one family. Two were children.

The dead:

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Holton and
their children Wilbur and Maxie of
Kendall Mills; John L. Love and
Raymond Sharp of Thift, N. C.;
Vaughn Holton and Dorie Dox of
Paw Creek and Miss Loma Cox of
York, S. C.

Impaled on Engine.

Impaled on the engine pilot, the
automobile was carried two city
(Continued On Page Two)

Find Two Dead In
Barn, Denatured
Alcohol Blamed

Police At Beaver Falls Make
Discovery Of Bodies; Alco-
hol Can Found

(Continued On Page Two)

To Examine Bullet

JAMES DAVIDSON, ballistic expert
attached to the coroner's office, to-
day was to examine the bullet and
determine whether it was fired from
the one empty chamber found in a
revolver in Keenan's possession. In-
spector Albert Beebe said Cullinan
and Keenan attempted to hold up
Wolf Christmas morning.

When Wolf moved after he was
ordered to remain still, Keenan
(Continued On Page Two)

DEATH RECORD

Miss Marge Mengel, 71, 211 East
Grand street.

Mrs. Earl McCandless, Butler.

Mrs. Theresa Mohiman, 48, 1111
Pollock avenue.

Martha Ann Wright, 2, Avalon.

(Continued On Page Two)

"MISS PARIS" BEAUTY FOR COMING YEAR



MODERN YOUTH IS SURVEYED BY DR. BUTLER--FOUND WANTING

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Modern youth, impetuous, unconventional, skeptical, but avid of learning to rebuild the world more nearly to its liking, was surveyed by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, co-sharer of the year's Nobel peace prize, and found wanting.

Carelessness in dress, bad manners, slovenliness of speech and habits, unconcern for standards of excellence and over-concern for the quick satisfaction of one's own immediate personal conveniences mark the young of today, Dr. Butler decided.

He stated his conclusions in his annual report as president of Columbia University.

Seven Meet Death When Hotel Burns In Massachusetts

Young Married Couple And
Baby Among Victims At
Springfield, Mass.

TWO UNIDENTIFIED MEN ARE VICTIMS

Twelve Guests In Hotel Res-
cued By Firemen—Thirty
Others Flee Building

(BULLETIN)

(International News Service)

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 26.—
Bodies of five persons, one a baby girl, had been recovered and two more bodies were seen by firemen in the smouldering ruins today five hours after flames had destroyed new Court Hotel.

Hotel records were destroyed. A check up from memory was made and ten of the 57 occupants unaccounted for, but it was hoped, found shelter with other fire refugees in homes in various sections of the city.

The last two bodies located were observed by firemen from a vantage point. The ruins had to cool considerably before firemen could reach the bodies.

Charred bodies of the victims of the day after Christmas fire tragedy
(Continued On Page Two)

Convicts-Citizens Battling Flood In Mississippi Area

Labor Feverishly To Stem
Flow Of Swollen Tribu-
tary Of Mississippi

FEW DEATHS HAVE BEEN REPORTED

(International News Service)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., December 26.—
Hundreds of citizens volunteers and
convicts labored desperately to stem
the onrush of flood waters rising from the banks of the Talla-
hatchee river in Northwestern Miss-
issippi.

The sleeping levees of the river, a
Mississippi tributary, were the center
of feverish activity as workers strove to check the deluge. Thousands of sandbags were called into use to cap and reinforce the levees.

The river was rising at the rate of
nearly two inches a day. The rich
delta land was submerged in raging
water that has destroyed the stand-
ing cotton and has swept the streets of
numerous towns and villages.

Hundreds of inhabitants have fled
their farms and village homes to seek
safety in the higher reaches.

The river was rising at the rate of
nearly two inches a day. The rich
delta land was submerged in raging
water that has destroyed the stand-
ing cotton and has swept the streets of
numerous towns and villages.

President Hoover At His
Desk Early Today To Ex-
pedite Relief Program

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—President
Hoover was at his desk early
today "undertaking to expedite his
twelve point economic program," his
secretary said. There were no callers
scheduled, and the President has
called no one to confer with him
during the day, apparently. Most
members of Congress were out of
the city for the holidays.

His 12-point program calls for
Congress' enactment of his proposed
\$500,000,000 emergency reconstruction
program and of his plan to add
\$100,000,000 to the Capital of the
12 federal farm loans banks.

Postoffice At Youngstown Is Robbed Of \$900

Metal Cabinet Smashed By
Sledge Hammers—Stamp
Reported Stolen

(International News Service)

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 26.—Using
sledge hammers to smash open a metal cabinet in the main office, robbers today broke into the Youngstown postoffice and escaped with \$900 worth of stamps.

Broken drums and headless dolls
soldiers on a legless horse, mark the
wreckage of the day, show the
marks of youthful force. Blocks are
scattered far and wide, auto trucks
are on the floor, aeroplanes and
trucks for coal, glassy marbles near
a score. Christmas comes but once
a year but the fuss that rides its
wings, causes work for patient
folks, picking up the broken things.
Horns refuse to play a tune, fiddle
strings hang loose and limp, and
the doll that stood up straight seem-
to've lost its old time gimp. Toys
and books and Christmas things,
scattered in a disarray, Christmas
comes but once a year, weather's
forty four today.

Czechs Declare "Plot" Framed

Czechs Deny Charges And
Claim Soviets Framed

Dr. Carl Vanek

RELATIONS TODAY QUITE STRAINED

(International News Service)

PRAGUE, Dec. 26.—The Czechoslovakian government charged today the alleged plot to assassinate the Japanese ambassador at Moscow, Koki Hirota, which brought about the recall of Dr. Carl Vanek, Czechoslovakian diplomat, was a "frame-up" engineered by the Soviet P. U. or secret police.

News of the conspiracy was first received here Thursday evening in dispatches from Moscow to Prague and other central European newspapers receiving International News Service dispatches.

Vanek is an official statement said, was the victim of an agent provocateur in the employ of the G. P. U. Without Foundation.

The Czechoslovakian government declared the Russian police charges were utterly without foundation but recalled Vanek on demand of the Soviet foreign office to avoid a diplomatic incident.

An investigation by the chief of the Czechoslovakian Mission at Moscow, the statement said, revealed the following facts.

Vanek attended a gay diplomatic ball in Moscow early in December where a group of foreign attaches discussed the Sino-Japanese conflict in Manchuria.

Speculation quickly turned to the prospects of Russia and Japan becoming involved in war because of Japanese invasion of the Russian sphere of influence in occupying Tatsihai, capital of Heilungkiang Province.

Vanek was asked his opinion.

Remark Is Made.

"Well," he laughed, "history might repeat itself. Suppose someone assassinated or attempted to assassinate the Japanese ambassador here. That would cause war, wouldn't it?"

The remark was overheard by a member of the Soviet secret police who had gained admission to the ball but was misunderstood or deliberately misrepresented, the Czechoslovakian government asserted. The incident was reported to the G. P. U. which immediately magnified and elaborated it, supplying details which the government here considers to be entirely false.

The whole affair was considered today at a meeting of the cabinet officials still in Prague over the holidays. Since the Soviet government has published the news to the world Czechoslovakia may demand a formal apology accompanied by a threat to sever existing relations between the two countries.

Three Dead From Poisoned Liquor

Pittsburgh Police Seek To
Trace Source Of Flow Of
Poisoned Booze

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 26.—Poisoned liquor which caused three deaths here Christmas day was being traced by police today.

Blinded shortly after he had left a hill district resort, Earl Williams, 29, a Negro, died soon after he was taken to Mercy hospital. Poison booze also was blamed for the death of James Jenkins, 65, a Negro, the third victim was Carson Holmes, Negro.

INFANT DIES SUDDENLY
AT SHARPSVILLE, PA.

(International News Service)
SHARPSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 26.—While spending Christmas at the home of his grandparents, William Orrie Mecklem, aged 15 months took suddenly ill and died last night, it was reported to health officials today.

YOUTH HELD ON MURDER CHARGE AT PITTSBURGH

(Continued From Page One)

struck him over the head several times with the revolver, police said. During the attack, the gun was discharged, the bullet glancing off Wolf's head and striking Cullinan who stood behind him.

Shooting Died

Keenan fled, police said, and was followed to a resort by H. Monsine, an eye witness to the shooting. Monsine summoned police who arrested Keenan and Mrs. Bell Rocco, 33, in whose home he was found.

Keenan denied all knowledge of the shooting. Mrs. Rocco and Marion Marsh, 23, of Youngstown, arrested in her home, admitted they knew the two men, police said, but also denied all knowledge of the shooting and holdup.

Police said they found a revolver in Cullinan's pocket and \$30 in coins rolled in a Canton, O., bank wrapper.

Police said they found a revolver in Cullinan's pocket and \$30 in coins rolled in a Canton, O., bank wrapper.

NOTICE

Employees of the Carnegie Steel Co. not working and members of the Iron & Steel Workers' Benefit Ass'n having group insurance please arrange to call on C. L. Hughes, secretary, on or before Dec. 30, 1931.

PA NEWC OBSERVERS

(Continued From Page One)

ly toppled over many decorative Christmas trees in the downtown district, particularly on the dimond yesterday.

Pa Newc was at a downtown corner this morning when traffic became tangled in great shape all because a public office's car was parked where a city ordinance forbids such.

It's nearing the close of the old year and many a civic club and other community group will see its officers being shifted around. New members will come to the fore in many of them; the Kiwanis club will change its officers next week.

Then again today there was a New Jersey license plate on a car parked here.

First returns reaching Pa Newc today indicate that there was considerable duplication of effort yesterday and that some of the needy got several baskets. It is to be hoped that there will be no waste of the foodstuffs in the cases where there was a duplication of the distribution by various organizations.

STRUCK BY AUTO, MAN'S INJURIES RESULT FATALY

(Continued From Page One)

the body and legs. Butera reported the accident to Chief of Police Morrison of Ellwood City, and also to a member of the Butler state highway patrol who happened to be in Ellwood City.

Driver's Story.

Coroner J. P. Caldwell was notified and made an investigation. "I was driving alone from West Pittsburg to Ellwood City," Butera told the coroner. "There was something the matter with my car and I had stopped a short distance north of the Consolidated Stone company plant. After I got in and started my car again I saw a man standing in the road ahead of me. He was on the right hand side of the road about three feet from the edge of the concrete.

"I blew my horn twice, expecting that he would step off the concrete, but as he did not I started to go around him on the left. Just about the time my car came up to him he started to run across the road, evidently trying to get ahead of my car. He failed, running directly into my car, striking it on the right side. I pulled to the left and ran into the ditch in my efforts to avoid striking the man. When he started to run, he did not start across the road at right angles from where he was standing, but diagonally directly toward my automobile. I was driving between 28 and 30 miles an hour at the time, having stopped a short distance back to look at the engine of my car. I did everything I could to avoid the accident."

As Butera was alone there were no other witnesses to the accident. He said that he had been driving a car for about 11 years. Wheel marks at the scene showed where Butera had run off the road in his effort to avoid the accident. The road is straight at this point.

Examination of Butera's car showed that Phillips' head had struck the right front post, and dings in the right fender showed that his fender joins the running board.

There were no other marks on the car. The left headlight, however, was broken when the car was ditched.

Phillips had been employed as a watchman by the Consolidated Stone company, but had not been working lately. He lived in a small house on the company's property. He was unmarried. The body was taken to an Ellwood City morgue. An effort is being made to find relatives.

SEVENTEEN MEET DEATH VIOLENTLY

(Continued From Page One)

juris sustained when he was struck by an auto. Frank Phillips, 47, met a similar death near New Castle. The ninth victim was John Kendra, 25, who was instantly killed when the automobile in which he was riding crashed into a standing freight train near Altoona.

No traffic deaths were reported in Philadelphia.

Keenan denied all knowledge of the shooting. Mrs. Rocco and Marion Marsh, 23, of Youngstown, arrested in her home, admitted they knew the two men, police said, but also denied all knowledge of the shooting and holdup.

Police said they found a revolver in Cullinan's pocket and \$30 in coins rolled in a Canton, O., bank wrapper.

GREENWOOD MEMORIAL PARK

No matter whether it is a single interment, a quarter lot, a half lot or a whole lot that is required, it can be supplied. Choice locations, reasonable prices, endowment if desired.

GREENWOOD CEMETERY COMPANY

Chartered 1862

Jos. S.
Rice Co.

Funeral Service
215 E. North St.

New Castle, Pa.
Phone 120

SEZ YOU by IRWIN and HENRY STEIG

True False Score

1. Janus was the two-headed god in ancient Roman mythology.
2. Like human beings, dogs have two sets of teeth: one temporary set and one permanent set.
3. More heat is required to boil water in a valley than on a high mountain.
4. The chameleon is a lizard which can change its color at will.
5. Emile Zola was an Italian novelist.
6. It is possible for a candidate for the presidency of the United States to have more of the votes of the people than his opponents and still be defeated.
7. Coleoptera is another way of spelling Cleopatra.
8. Moses received the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai.
9. The crown is the unit of Austrian money.
10. Fernando Magellan, who circumnavigated the world during the sixteenth century, was a Spaniard.

TOTAL

Here's how to get your intelligence score: If you think a statement is true, place a check beside it in the column headed "True." If you think it false, place a check beside it in the column headed "False." After you have completed the questions look up the correct answers and put 1 in the "Score" column every time you are correct. A perfect score is 10.

Answer to "Sez You" on Page 9.

French Slayer

Guillotined

"I Am Only Getting What I Deserved," Says Slayer Before His Execution

(International News Service)

PARIS, Dec. 26.—"I am only getting what I deserve," said the condemned man.

Those were the last words of Georges Gauchet, 26, son of an aristocratic family, before the guillotine snipped off his head today at Sainte prison for the murder of a jeweler in an attempted robbery.

Gauchet, silent before the small crowd that gathered to watch his execution, walked slowly toward the "widow," the sharp blade of the guillotine, with downcast eyes. Not until the knife was about to drop did he admit his guilt.

Loved Dancing Girl.

Gauchet paid with his life for attempting to buy luxuries for his sweetheart, a Montmarie dancing girl.

In November a year ago, finding himself without funds with which to retain the dancer's affection he resorted to robbery. He entered the jewelry store of M. Denehaner in the busy Avenue De Mozart in the fashionable residential section of Passy, struck the jeweler over the head with a hammer and then shot him.

The young man was given an opportunity of appealing for clemency, but was turned down.

REPORT AGREEMENT ON POST OFFICE SITE

(Continued From Page One)

days ago and called upon Mrs. Clark. After explaining just what the delay entailed Congressman Swick asked her to co-operate with the government so that New Castle could get a post office started. Mrs. Clark agreed and a little later the occupants of the barber shop agreed to surrender their lease for a cash settlement.

There appears to be no possibility of delay now in the matter, other than the actual turning over of the sale price to the owners of the parcels of land on the square, and having the plans of the architect approved.

All buildings save the home of Mrs. Clark will be removed. The arrangement with her calls for her occupancy of the house as long as she so desires, the government taking the deed to the house and Mrs. Clark paying rent for it as long as she lives in it. The corner occupied by her home will not be occupied by the new postoffice but the ground will be a part of the lawn in front of the postoffice.

Arouses Guests.

The fire was discovered when Mrs. McCarthy, returning to her room shortly before 1 a.m. found the flames between the third and fourth floors. McCarthy seized a fire extinguisher and, after failing to subdue the flames, aroused guests.

Bodies of the victims were discovered by firemen before the blaze was under control. The body of Mrs. Knight was found with her baby clasped in her arms on the floor near her bed. Her husband's body was reclining over the bed in an apparent attitude of prayer. Knight, aroused by the fire, had made a brave effort to save his wife and child. The family had been balked by flames rushing at their door and had found solace in their last hours in prayer.

Spectacular rescues by firemen marked the fire.

The first bodies identified were those of Samuel Knight, janitor, his wife, their two-week-old infant, Ann, and Robert North, 62, a permanent guest, whose charred body was identified by means of a name found in his clothing.

Alcohol Takes Toll.

Poison alcohol took a heavy death in the Pittsburgh area, where five died from the effects of poison liquor. The dead are: John Ennis, 42; Patrick Madine, 48; Earl Williams, 29; James Jenkins, 64, and Carson Holmes. The latter three are negroes.

At Beaver Falls a Christmas drinking party ended in the deaths of William Dunn and Charles Gostchell.

A seven-year-old child, Jean Hockman, was burned to death when flames raged the house in which she lived. Her parents and nine other children leaped to safety from a second story window.

NINE ARE KILLED; TRAIN HITS AUTO

(Continued From Page One)

blocks before plunging to the tracks a tangled mass of wreckage.

Bodies of the victims were strewn along the right-of-way. A battered doll with which she had played Christmas day after Santa's visit was clutched tightly in the arms of little Maxie Holton.

Other toys and presents were strewn among the bodies.

All nine occupants of the crowded machine were instantly killed.

The crossing victims were returning to the Holton home at Paw Creek from a gay Christmas party at Yonke, S. C.

SEVEN MEET DEATH WHEN HOTEL BURNS IN MASSACHUSETTS

(Continued From Page One)

were dug from the ruins by firemen. They were:

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Knight and their two-year-old baby and two unidentified men.

Twelve Rescued.

Twelve guests at the hotel, a five story brick building were rescued by firemen.

Thirty others in the building, which was fifty years old, fled to safety unaided.

Scene of the fire, worst in this city since the conflagration of 1888, was in the heart of the downtown district.

Burned, silent before the small crowd that gathered to watch his execution, walked slowly toward the "widow," the sharp blade of the guillotine, with downcast eyes. Not until the knife was about to drop did he admit his guilt.

Loss Is \$100,000.

Two alarms brought out most of the fire apparatus of the city. Loss was estimated at \$100,000.

The bodies recovered were on the fourth floor. The roof and this floor collapsed, giving rise to the belief that the fire started on the fourth floor and shot upwards.

When the fire was finally under control all the walls were standing. Firemen said firewalls of adjoining building prevented the spread of the fire through Springfield's business district.

The guests rescued and those who fled in safety, all in their night clothing, huddled in nearby doorways until they were taken to homes of friends.

Touch Of Horror.

The post Christmas fire tragedy was not without a touch of humor. One guest, who refused to give his name, was the wearer of a cork leg. He laughed, however, when rescued, telling firemen that he would not be able to get to work unless they found his artificial limb.

Mrs. Knight, one of the victims, had returned with her baby on Thursday from Wesson hospital to be with her husband on Christmas. The little family had their Christmas together.

Because the guests scattered when the fire was at its height, only half were accounted for after the fire was under control. Of the 100 rooms in the building 45 were occupied by 57 persons. Many of the guests were transients.



DANIELS-DUFF MARRIAGE THURSDAY

A pretty wedding and one of interest to many in this vicinity was that of Miss Kathryn E. Daniels of Volant when she became the bride of Edwin T. Duff of Uniontown Thursday evening.

The impressive ring ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Dr. H. C. Weaver, pastor of the First Methodist church, in the newly furnished apartment of the couple at 726 County Line street, in the presence of a few close relatives.

The bride was lovely in a Spanish tile crepe evening gown, with accessories to match carrying flowers of a blushing hue. Her attendant was Miss Irene Hetrick, who was attired in a frock of blue crepe with accessories and flowers to harmonize.

Russell Binning, a close friend of the groom, served as best man.

Supplementing the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served with Clarence Nesbitt as caterer. The dining room was nicely decorated with nuptial suggestions.

The bride, a graduate of the Volant high school, received her diploma in nursing at the Youngstown City Hospital, and for sometime has resided with her sister on Neshannock avenue, this city. The groom is associated with the Barnes-Snyder Motor Company here as service foreman.

Dispensing with a trip for the present, Mr. and Mrs. Duff are at home to their host of friends at their County Line street residence.

Entertains Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Weaver of Cedar street delightfully entertained at a Christmas dinner in their home on Friday, fifteen guests. The table was fittingly decorated with suggestions of the season and a most delectable menu served at 1 o'clock.

A special feature of the day, was the celebration of the birthday anniversary of the hostess. The remaining leisure hours were spent informally.

Out of town guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Collins of Erie.

Dinner Guests

The Misses Mary and Elizabeth Reed, of Mount Jackson, were dinner guests on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh, Wallace avenue. Following the serving of a delicious menu, the hours were pleasantly whiled away informally.

E. M. McCREARY
Expert Piano Tuning
710 Monroe St.
New Castle, Pa.
BELL PHONE 1876-M.

Don't Forget

Our
After Christmas

Garment Sale

**STROUSS-
HIRSHBERG'S**

OFFUTT'S
The Home
of Cash
Prices and
J. H.
Green
Discount
Stamps

EAT OUT SUNDAY!

Thrifty people are finding it less expensive to eat out, than to prepare the big Sunday dinner at home. We invite you to try our Colonial Dining Room Service.

Special
Sunday
Dinner \$1

Castleton Hotel
New Castle, Pa.

**HIGGIN'S
BROS. S**

126 East Washington St.

**PERMANENT
WAVING**

\$3.50

Call 3700 For
Appointment

**JANUARY
CLEARANCE
PRICES**

NOW IN EFFECT

Robins

"Better Furniture For Less"

26 E. Washington St.

**INTERIOR
DECORATING**

FURNITURE
DRAPERY
LAMPS
WALL PAPER
UNUSUAL GIFTS

Can We
Help You
Beautiful
Your Home?

Emery
Studio
114 N. Mif
St.
Est. Over 30
Years.

Phone
860.

**DANCE
TONIGHT**

Round and Square
Temple Club

1.0.0.F. HALL

333 E. Washington St.

PARK'S TEMPLE CLUB
ORCHESTRA

Dancing 8:45 to 11:45.

50c Per Couple
25c Extra Lady.

**DANCE
FAR EAST
TONITE**

All Round

Admission 25c

CHAS. BRICKNER
ORCHESTRA

5c Quart

farman's
Formerly
The Silks Shoppe
Sparkling
New Versions
of Fashions
Newest Fancies
FROCKS
975 to 2475
Phone 860.
118 NORTH MILL ST.

ISALY'S

BUTTERMILK

CHAS. BRICKNER
ORCHESTRA

5c Quart

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA
Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Adults 50c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Adults 50c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Children 25c.

Epworth M. E. Church

CONCERT

An Evening Of Christmas Music

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Eight O'Clock

EDNA PAIGNE NIRELLA

Pittsburgh's Concert Soprano

Mrs. J. M. Pyle, organist.

Miss Charlotte Andrews, pianist.

Editorial, Digest, Edgar A. Guest,
Abe Martin.

THE NEW CASTLE NEWS

All Of Us

Owned and Published by The News Company, a Corporation.
Published Every Evening Except Sunday, 28 North Mercer Street.
Entered at New Castle, Pa., as Second Class Matter.

Fred L. Rausz President and Managing Editor
A. W. Treadwell Vice President
Lucy Treadwell Ray Treasurer
Jacob F. Rausz Manager and Assistant Treasurer
James T. Ray Secretary
George W. Conway Editor

Full Leased Telegraph and Cable Service of the International News Service.
Correspondence on matters of public interest solicited from all parts of the country.
Bell Telephone (Private Exchange) 4000

SUBSCRIPTIONS: Single copy, 2c. Daily, 15c week, \$7.50 a year. Daily by mail, \$5.00 a year. Daily, 3 months, by mail, \$1.25. Daily, by mail, less than 3 months, per month, 50c. On sale at all leading news stands.

Member Audit Bureau of Circulations.
Member American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

New York office, 67 West 44th St. Philadelphia, Real Estate Trust Bldg.
Pittsburgh, Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Detroit, General Motors Bldg.
Milwaukee, Commerce Bldg. Chicago, Tribune Tower. National Advertising Representative, Fred Kimball, Incorporated.

International News Service has the exclusive rights to use for republication in any form all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper. It is also exclusively entitled to use for reproduction all the local or undated news published herein.

SPECIAL NOTICE: All checks, money orders, drafts, communications, etc., should be addressed to The News Company, New Castle, Pa., and not to any individual.



NEGLECTED RESOLUTION

WE HAVE no wish to preach, and are well aware good resolutions constitute a tender subject—seeing how early all of them are broken within the first few weeks of each new year. Nevertheless, we venture a wisp of advise to those who are about to greet the first day of 1932 without definitely deciding what they are or are not going to do.

This suggestion of ours is not new, but because it is not much used, may be called as good as new. It does not require any special preparation, such as throwing away ash-trays or smashing cocktail glasses. It does not even involve suffocation of a habit, harmful or extravagant, and can be quietly applied without attracting special notice from any one—until it gets in good working order.

Then it may become a matter for comment, but only of the most praiseworthy sort. In the Dictionary of Desirable Traits it is defined as attending to your own business. And it comes in assorted sizes, to fit even those who have little business to attend to.

TEN YEARS AGO

From the way some Democratic leaders preen themselves, getting ready to make the next campaign on Republican hard times, one would be led to think that there never were Democratic hard times. But we do not have to go further back than 10 or 11 years to find some rather startling figures.

Dr. Wilfred King, recognized financial authority, declares that the deflation and downfall of prices during 1919-20 cost the people of the United States not less than 40 billion dollars. He says that a million farmers lost their farms as a direct result of this deflation. And that was during the Wilson administration.

HOMECOMING

The day's work takes us out in the world for a share in its business and battles, but for rest and refreshment when the day's work is done we turn again to our homes. So also we share our chief joys and sorrows with those we love, trusting in their pride in our success, their sympathy in disappointment. For these are our own people, despite all separations and differences, and their spirits echo the deeper moods of our own.

At the season dedicated to the memory of tidings of great joy, we seek our own people to share the festival of gladness and good-will. This is a season of homecoming, of family reunion and the renewal of old affections. The thoughts, faces and hearts of all men are turned homeward; their greetings and gifts restore the broken circle at the home fireside.

This brief season of homecoming responds to a deep-rooted instinct and necessity of men. Life is a constant quest for a home, for a place of peace, happiness and freedom with our own spiritual kin and kind. This desire also lies at the heart of the hope of immortality, so that men await and expect life beyond death not as a new and strange adventure but as a final and enduring homecoming. For the work of our heads and hands brings us to strange company, but our hearts seek always our own people.

FRIENDSHIPS JUST GROW

It is true that an attempt to compel friendship between individuals seldom produces the desired result. The man or woman who brings two good friends together with the idea of making them like each other as well as he likes them has little chance of success. It may not be the essential contrary-mindedness of human nature which causes the intended boon companions to recoil from each other, but it must be something like that.

Everyone must have been aware of a sensation to prejudice against the person whose praises have been sung too much. People who are told they are certain to like a person they have never met usually begin with a stubborn determination not to like him.

To a recent British visitor to the United States this peculiar twist in human nature explains the misunderstandings between Americans and Britons. There are too many individuals and organizations in both countries telling the two nations they are bound to like each other. He has joined in singing the national anthems of both nations at meetings of a society whose purpose is the encouragement of Anglo-American friendship, and on each occasion has felt that "neither song was quite in tune or went well."

His solution is that both peoples cease trying to like each other and stop organizing for friendship. In his opinion, international friendship will come naturally and spontaneously between nations which enjoy, rather than worry about, their misunderstandings.

THE C. OF C. REFERENDUM

The United States Chamber of Commerce announces the results of its referendum to determine the views of its members on sundry proposals to eliminate depressions. The membership recorded its liking for the proposal for "modification of the anti-trust laws to make clear the lawfulness of agreements to relate production to consumption."

The membership also favors "the setting up by business itself of a national economic council to aid all fields of industry, finance and commerce in their planning."

Obviously the members of the United States Chamber of Commerce are passing and so are the autos—always.

An English professor has okayed slang. Henceforth school children will be able to understand their teachers, as well as all other groups have Ishmaels and recalcitrants among them. Gerard Swope, who was the first to publish the proposals stated above, anticipated a non-co-operative element and provided in his plan for sufficient federal regulation to whip the non-co-operators into line. "Agreements to relate production to consumption" cannot be effective unless every producer is a party to them. The minority of the producers must be compelled by the agreement of the majority. So much government, but no more, is essential to the success of the co-operative plan for eliminating depression.

The government control must be federal, of course, because any agreement relating production to consumption must be nation wide. Control in one state could only put the producers of that state at the mercy of competing and uncontrolled producers in the 47 other states—The Milwaukee Sentinel.

The horse is passing and so are the autos—always.

An English professor has okayed slang. Henceforth school children will be able to understand their teachers.

Toonerville Folks.

By FOUNTAIN FOX

ONE OF THE YOUNGSTERS THAT MICKEY McGuIRE BEATS UP OFTENEST PRESENTED HIM WITH A NICE SOFT PAIR OF FUR LINED GLOVES!



Hints and Dints

Sun sets tonight 4:38. Sun rises tomorrow 7:23.

A reduction of about thirty-three per cent has been made for New Year's Eve dinners in New York. This is another real sign of a depression. The invitations still read B. Y. O. L. (Bring Your Own Likker).

Lawrence County Has Several Thousand Hogs, Not Counting Those That Drive All Over The Roads Every Sunday.

Mr. Curtis, deciding to be Vice President again, says: "I'm an optimist." Still, it's taking a long time.

A winter fair was held at Franklin, Pa., where the farmers made a display of all their farm products. This is a good time of the year to hold a fair as the farmers will have all their products in and consumers get a good chance to buy 'em.

Most of us magnify adverse things and belittle the troubles of others. Even though your experiences are serious you can always locate those whose troubles are greater and make your own look insignificant.

You may be passing through real trouble now but on the whole your life has been comparatively easy sailing, hasn't it?

The difficulties you've had might have been largely avoided.

Many came from trying to take life too easy.

Some were the result of over indulgence one way or another.

Others because of carelessness and reluctance on your part to give thought and attention to matters which you should have given your best.

And now you are blaming others for conditions brought about by yourself in one way or another.

Others with greater troubles than you are "carrying on," why not you.

"THE LESSON OF THE DAY"

Not for many years has there been so much grave and deep apprehension. In our own country there is commercial prostration and panic, and thousands of our fellow-citizens are turned out against the approaching winter without employment.

Of current troubles no man can see the end. They are, fortunately, as yet mainly commercial; and if we are only to lose money, and by painful poverty to be taught wisdom—the wisdom of honor, of faith, of sympathy and of charity—no man need seriously despair. And yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this widespread calamity, has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity.

Good Friends—Let our conduct prove that the call comes to men who have large hearts, however narrowed their homes may be; who have open hands, however empty their purses. Whoever shows himself truly a God-fearing man now, by helping wherever and however he can, will be as blessed and beloved as a great light in darkness.

(From Harper's Weekly, October 10th, 1857.)

An Optimist is a Man Who Gets Flimflammed in the Sentiments, the proudest of truths or the vilest and most wicked falsehoods the human brain is capable of conceiving! It may be an angel emancipated if he knew how to do woman's work and cook for himself.

Proverbs 27: 1.

MARIGOLD

Marigold, Marigold, dear, don't you know?

Winter is coming with blanket of snow?

Marigold, Marigold, bow your bright head.

Chill is the north wind. The gay days have fled!

Marigold laughed—shook her bright head in glee.

What is the chill of the north wind to me?

What if tomorrow be bleak as November,

When I have all my gay days to remember?

—Marjorie F. W., in Chicago Tribune.

QUALITIES OF PAPER

Paper is a curious as well as a wonderful thing! It may be made to subserve a good or a bad purpose, as the manipulator may desire!

It may bear on its face the noblest of sentiments, the proudest of truths or the vilest and most wicked falsehoods the human brain is capable of conceiving! It may be an angel

clothed in the purest gems of thought, or a demon shrouded in the blackest of vice! It may give unfeigned pleasure, or cause the heart unspeakable sorrow! It may be rendered valuable, or valueless, according to the standing of its symbolic character! may be the instrument of life, or of death! And it may be—almost anything you are disposed to make it!—The Western Paper Trade.

Never mind, Mr. Hoover. Moses was cussed all his life, but he led them into the promised land the same.

In some parts of Pennsylvania farmers are compelled to guard their hen houses and other buildings at night to keep thieves from stealing their livestock. An old-fashioned double barrel shot gun fired in the right direction is about the best thing to guard farm property now. The town loafers would never think of going out into the country and helping a farmer raise anything.

There is a happiness that comes when I have done my work; a satisfaction that I feel when I no longer shirk the doing of some dreaded job. Some long neglected letter—In fact, I've really come to feel there is no tonic better;

No tonic for the jaded mind. That early comes to equal the sense of peacefulness I feel.

When I have reached the sequel: And that know that I can say.

THAT DREADED JOB, SO LONG POSTPONED,

WAS FINISHED UP TODAY.

MAURITIUS.

Can you remember the time when you were a small boy playing baseball in the cow pasture—and you slid into what you thought was second base?

Dear Sir: As freak signs sometimes provide a smile, may I submit two that were seen by members of my family:

"Do not spit or molest on the monkeys."

"Throw all banana peels and other REFUGE in the trash can."

G. W. B.

The Express had not been living up to its reputation. First it would go forward fifty yards or so, then back, then stand still, puffing uncontrollably, and then begin the same thing all over again. At last one of the travelers called the guard.

"What's the matter with this train?" he demanded. "Backing up and jerking forward in this way?"

"It's quite all right, sir," the guard assured him. "I think the engine driver is teaching his wife to drive."

Well, How Did You Christmas? Profit or Loss?

Men may be most anything by big and noble birth but a ditch digger and scavenger by choice these days.

WOT'S THE USE?

Fame: Something you labor long to win and then share with a flag-pole sitter.

By this time many a poor kid has found out the folly of writing letters to Santa Claus. For kids.

The witness said you were driving your car as quick as thought.

"Yes, I know the witness—he is a very slow thinker."

Advantage of Quarreling About The Shortest Route.

We are quite sure that the man whose wife is drawn for jury duty for the first time has a lot of questions to answer and fears to say and after it's all over the wife wonders why she was concerned.

Commenting on another phase of the question, the ROCHESTER TIMES-UNION remarks: "In the larger view, there is, of course, the danger that if the number of countries remaining on a gold basis should continue to decrease until the United States and France should stand almost alone in this respect, the value of our large gold holdings might also decrease." The DULUTH HERALD says of such a situation, "It may become apparent soon that, instead of sitting on top of the world, as they may have thought

when they got all that gold, they are sitting on top of a point so sharp that acute discomfort may compel a move." In the opinion of the ALLENTEGOW MORNING CALL, "the United States cannot continue indefinitely and without limit to export gold and get none in return," and that paper suggests that, "while it may not drop the gold standard and bring the train of financial evils that would be likely to result from such a move, it could with propriety adopt a reciprocity program and refuse to export gold to countries that are not on the gold standard."

Calling attention to the fact, however, that "no other standard has been adopted as a substitute for gold," and that the "fifteen nations expect eventually to go back to a gold standard," the SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE remarks that "the pound sterling, the yen and other monetary values will be subject to wide fluctuations while the dollar and the franc will be steady, because their gold value is secure." As the COLUMBUS OHIO STATE JOURNAL sees it, "The United States dollar, based on a gold foundation and already at a premium in every market of the world, will soar higher, continuing to demonstrate, in a manner that argument cannot discount, that the gold basis for money is the most impregnable; the basis to which foreign nations, after these recurring spasms of financial trouble, are ended, will return."

Hints And Dints And Other Features.

Daily Editorial Digest

Symposium of Editorial Views By Newspapers of Nations on Important Subjects as Edited by Consolidated Press Association

Effect On American Trade Seen In Tokio Action On Gold
Drastic Action By Nipponese Government Believed To Have Been Forced By Economic Conditions, But Permanency Of Policy Is Doubtful Here

The effect on American trade of the action of the Japanese government in placing an embargo on gold is the subject of considerable comment in America. Its bearing on the cotton and silk trade especially is speculated upon. It is assumed that the embargo, which had been discussed for some time, was forced by present economic conditions, and will not become a permanent policy.

"The Manchurian trouble may have had something to do with the fall of the Wakatsuki Ministry in Japan, but it seems to be the general conclusion that the row with China was certainly not the major issue involved," observes the FORT WAYNE NEWS-SENTINEL. Rather, it was opposition to the Wakatsuki government's policy on the gold embargo (favorable to the gold standard) not its policy either in Manchuria or at Geneva, which forced the Premier to step out.

Declaring that "the world at large is just as sensitive to this financial operation as it is to events in Manchuria, and so are the Japanese," the LOUISVILLE COURIER-JOURNAL suggests that "the new Government may be less of a menace than it was at the head of an opposition party." The CHICAGO DAILY NEWS says: "Inflation and jingoism seem to be the new government's prescriptions for Japan's troubles. They are more easily applied than any others in the political pharmacopeia, but, as Japan may discover, they have a

Weatherman Does Shift On Christmas

When it comes to teasing tricks there's hardly any one who can stand a show alongside foxy Old Man Weather—and you know right well the old gent wasn't for letting his superiority complex get a row Z seat for the climatic performance on a gala day like Christmas.

Well, we're quite certain you felt his biting winds yesterday along with the rest of us. It wasn't so awfully cold for Christmas, but it is came as a blow after the mercury had been soaring up around 60.

Colder This Year

Weather bureau records revealed this Christmas to be three degrees colder than Christmas day of 1930. This year the coldest was 35 and the lowest 22; last year it was 38 and 25.

But the day preceding the Christmas of a year ago was colder than holiday itself, a striking contrast to the summer temperature recorded on Thursday of this week. This naturally made yesterday most miserably cold.

Topcoats and suits coats, the vogue of Thursday, were hanging in clothes presses yesterday on the hooks where warmer overcoats had been. It didn't take long to get them out for duty.

While Christmas eve itself brought strong indications of a more "Christ-mas" atmosphere than was at first expected, the Weather man held off

Probe Loss Of 18 Cattle In \$8,000 Fire Near Wampum

Farmers Still Wonder How Blaze Started On Farm Of Dairymen

Farmers in the district of the Wampum-Chewton road today were still interested to know what started the fire that recently destroyed 18 head of cattle and the dairy barn of Vincent Sharck at a loss reported to be about \$8,000.

The fire was discovered early in the morning when the Sharcks found the barn a mass of flames and the cattle dead.

The Sharck farm is located on the Snake Run road, off the Chewton-Wampum road, a short distance from Chewton. Neighbors of the Sharcks report that the fire was so well advanced when discovered that it was hopeless to try to check the flames.

In addition to the valuable cattle lost, a considerable quantity of farm machinery and supplies is reported to have been ruined in the fire.

Murder In Second Degree, Says Jury

Elmer De Foggi, Tried Before Judge James A. Chambers, Is Convicted

Elmer De Foggi, who was tried for the murder of his wife, Margaret Travaglio De Foggi, before Judge James A. Chambers, in the Butler court this week, was found guilty of murder in the second degree according to word received in this city. The jury retired on Thursday afternoon, and arrived at a verdict in less than two hours.

De Foggi claimed that he had found his wife talking to Frank Torquato, a neighbor, and when she told him that she was going to leave him a quarrel ensued. De Foggi said that his wife struck him. He had a knife in his hand at the time, and in the scuffle his wife was stabbed. He claimed he had not intended to stab her. He denied that he had threatened to kill his wife when he went out of his kitchen to where she was talking with Torquato.

Two Injured In Auto Crash

George Johns, 6, In Jameson Memorial Hospital With Lacerations

George Johns, age 6, 421 Boyles avenue is in the Jameson Memorial hospital with severe lacerations of the left cheek and forehead as the result of injuries sustained Christmas day in an auto accident on the New Castle-New Bedford highway. Mrs. George P. Johns, mother of the small boy also received cuts about the head and body but was removed to her home.

The accident resulted when F. P. Miller, Lowellville tried to pass a car and truck and his machine struck a machine driven by G. P. Johns.

With New Castle Afro-Americans

Ministerial Alliance

The union services of the colored churches of the city will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Union Baptist church, under the auspices of the Ministerial Alliance.

Plans will be made for the union meeting the first Sunday of the New Year, which will be held in St. Luke's church, at which time all the churches are asked to aid St. Luke's in a material way.

Rev. J. H. Clark will preach the sermon Sunday afternoon.

St. Luke's Church

Rev. H. P. Anderson, pastor of the St. Luke's church, announces that the Sunday services will be: Church school at 9:30 a. m., Mrs. Blanche Dillard, superintendent; 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, "The Advent of Jesus Christ"; 7:30 p. m. preaching service. The members of the Dime Rally committee are asked to report at both services.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

REPORTED STOLEN

Early Christmas evening, Captain of Police J. Ed. Elder and Officer Thomas Lynch answered a call to the home of J. C. Marshall, 107 West Garfield avenue, where they found that a ladies silk umbrella and a pair of black kid gloves, intended as a Christmas gift by the little girl of the home for her mother, had been stolen from the place in the cellar, where they had been hidden. The officers were unable to find any clue as to the identity of the possible thief.

Cost is Forgotten Prices are Slashed to Sell Our Goods

READ THESE

Eastman's Kodatoy Moving Picture Projectors: \$12 regular Now \$5

Kodaks and Projectors At 1/2 Regular Prices

Fine Leather Hand Bags At 1/2 Regular Price

Men's Bill Folds At 1/4 and 1/2 Off

Men's Dressing Cases In leather 1/2 Regular Price

Ladies' Toilet Sets At 1/3 Regular Price

Hammond Electric Clocks 1/2 Regular Price

All Fine Dolls Values up to \$6 Now \$2.29

Parker, Waterman and Wahl Fountain Pen Desk Sets 1/2 Regular Prices

Pictures and Mirrors 1/2 Regular Price

Rand, McNally Globes 1/3 Regular Price

Toys at 1/2 or Less

at METZLER'S

Personal Mention

Such Levine of Boyles avenue is visiting in Alliance, O., today. Mrs. M. M. Ferrell, Youngstown, visited in the city on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Baker, Youngstown, visited friends here yesterday.

Ann Roqueplot, Farrell, was a visitor in the city on Thursday evening.

Miss Mina Waldman of Adams street spent Christmas in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Frank Gerould, Norwood avenue, is visiting with friends in Mansfield, Ohio.

Miss Peg Sheehan, Huron avenue, spent Christmas with friends in Sharon.

Joe Bera, Ridgeway, Pa., Y.M.C.A. physical director is visiting his relatives here.

John Nardi of Youngstown, Ohio, is spending a few days with relatives in the city.

Mrs. Mary Rowland of Crawford avenue is visiting with friends in Grove City.

J. D. Baker and sons, of Youngstown, spent Christmas Day with friends here.

Miss Alice Morrison, a member of the New Castle free public library staff, is spending the week-end at Derry, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hewitt, of North Mercer street, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Semple, Hubbard, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Biggs of Mansfield, O., are visiting with relatives here this season.

Mrs. Irene Black and daughter of this city have left the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Samuel Levine of East Reynolds street spent Friday with friends in Youngstown, O.

Miss Rose Barber of the library staff, spent Christmas at her home in Slippery Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hitchcock, Franklin, spent Christmas with relatives in Wilkinsburg.

Mrs. E. L. Hoon, Highland avenue extension, who has been ill for some time, is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kipp, Delaware avenue, spent Christmas with relatives in Akron.

D. S. Deming of East Garfield avenue spent Christmas with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oldfield of this city spent Christmas with relatives in Canton, O.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. McKay of Grove City were Christmas visitors with relatives here.

Miss Evelyn Glover of Butz street had been discharged from the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Chaucer Hettenthaler, Garfield avenue, who has been ill for some time, is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Collins of Erie are guests at the Sherman Weaver residence on Cedar street.

Miss Ruth Stroble, New York City, is visiting with Mrs. Harry Shaffer, Brooklyn avenue.

Carmen Martucci of Lutton street, has been removed from the New Castle Hospital to his home.

Condition of Mrs. Daisy K. Lewis, 418 Laurel boulevard, hurt when she fell at her home eight weeks ago, is reported unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoops, York, Pa., spent Christmas with Mrs. Hoops' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Richards, East Washington street.

Miss Margaret Wright of the public library staff, spent Christmas in Minneapolis the guest of Miss Kathryn McCullough.

Mrs. Paul McCracken and baby son of R. D. 6, New Castle, have been discharged from the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Condition of Mrs. Daisy K. Lewis, 418 Laurel boulevard, hurt when she fell at her home eight weeks ago, is reported unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoops, York, Pa., spent Christmas with Mrs. Hoops' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Richards, East Washington street.

Hans Holm, of New Wilmington, who underwent an operation for removal of his tonsils and adenoids in the Jameson Memorial hospital, has been discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald States, Wilkinsburg, former residents here are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. State's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crouch, Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner and family, Youngstown, Ohio, spent Christmas with the former's brother, Frank Horner, and family, Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. McCready and children, Akron, Ohio, spent Christmas with Mrs. McCready's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Richards, East Washington street.

The chamber office said today that nothing definite is being planned for insofar as that day's discussion is concerned.

Secretary A. W. Chilton, kept absent from his executive duties for months by illness, expects to be seated at the board table on that day. It will be the first chamber meeting he has attended in a long time.

Miss Annie Hopper, of Beaver Falls, and M. H. Reinhart, of Fredonia, Pa., are Christmas and weekend guests at the home of the former's brother, George H. Gray, Adams street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Manley of Williamsport, are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mears of Butler avenue. Mrs. Manley will be remembered as Sera Mears.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ayres and family, residents of Brentwood, near Pittsburgh, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ayres' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gilfillan, Pulaski road.

Miss Ruth Jamison, a nurse at the West Penn hospital, is visiting at the Jameson Smith residence on North Walnut street. Miss Jamison will spend the weekend with her parents in Grove City.

Miss Mary Smith, a nurse at the Memorial hospital at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pa., is enjoying the Christmas holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, North Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. James McKay, of Cleveland, were Christmas Day guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Besse McKay, R. D. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Altschuler of Monessen, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waldman of Adams street, Christmas.

Miss Margaret Weinshenck, Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Weinshenck, Savannah Gardens.

Mr. James McAuliffe of New York is visiting his parents on Neshannock boulevard. She will be remembered as Irene Book.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Dean, New Galilee are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dean of Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll, Dayton, Ohio, visited Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Book, Brooklyn avenue.

J. F. Kissenger, of East North Street, returned home Thursday evening after spending two days in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Starner of Alton, Ill., the pupit of which he occupied before coming here, to officiate at the marriage of one of his former members. He will return here Tuesday.

The young set of the city will be interested to know that Lyman Gerould, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gerould, Norwood avenue, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lehner, Highland avenue, spent his Christmas just outside San Francisco on the boat on which he has been traveling since October 1.

Young Gerould expects to be home about the middle of January, after a trip which included the western coast from north to south and thru the Panama canal.

Mrs. Anna Reynolds, Lincoln avenue, has recovered sufficiently to leave the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reebel and son, Harold, Summer avenue, spent Christmas with Youngstown relatives.

Gerald Zieve of South Mercer street is in Cleveland, Ohio, attending the National Medical Fraternity.

W. H. Cooper, of South Jefferson street, was taken suddenly ill last

evening and was removed to the New Castle hospital in a serious condition.

Mrs. Mary Deverall of Albion, Pa., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. William Stevenson on Marshall avenue. She will remain in this vicinity for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell and Miss Frances E. Geddes, of this city, will attend the funeral this afternoon of Miss Mary Brownlee, at Poland, Ohio.

Miss Annetta Dodds of Beaver Falls has left the Jameson Memorial hospital where she underwent an operation for removal of her tonsils on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross M. Mayberry, Aliquippa are spending the weekend with Mrs. Mayberry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reed of the old Pittsburgh road.

Mrs. Margaret Duff, Washington, has returned to her work of Religious Education in Washington county, after spending Christmas at her home, Mt. Jackson.

The woman apparently had been killed just as she was preparing to retire. She was dressed in night clothing.

Her throat showed marks where she had been choked. Grandchildren coming to bring Mrs. Marshall some Christmas presents discovered the crime.

No possible motive for the murder was known.

Donald Eckles, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Eckles, East Moody avenue, senior in the Harvard medical school, Cambridge, Mass., is visiting here over the holidays.

Rabbi and Mrs. J. Shapo of 307 Phillips street have as their guests their sons, Dalton and Mitchell, students at Belmont Medical school and Temple Law school.

Mrs. Ira Anderson and children of New Bedford and Eleanor Shields of Lowellville, visited Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Long, Wilmington avenue.

Mrs. Thomas R. Welch, Indianapolis, Ind., and son, Thomas, of Pittsburgh, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watch of Neshannock boulevard, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fields of Smithfield street who have been spending the past few days with the former's sister, Mrs. S. A. Cowden of Mt. Jackson have returned home.

Miss Martha Smith, an instructor of a Butler school, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Collins, Democratic state chairman, in a letter to Gov. Gifford Pinchot today urged the executive to back a move for a general reduction in the salaries of all public officials and employees.

Calling attention to the possible forty or fifty million dollars deficit which may exist at the end of the biennium Collins suggested a general paring of all salaries as one way to avoid such a financial situation.

"No one in Pennsylvania has greater responsibility than yourself to start now to revise downward the salaries that are still on a boom time basis," Collins wrote the governor. "Most of them are already directly under your control but those requiring legislative consideration must be acted upon this coming week or no relief can be given until the 1933 session."

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Campbell of West Middlesex, Pa., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brookover and family,

Post Christmas Themes For Pulpit Discussion Sunday

SUNDAY SERVICES IN NEW CASTLE CHURCHES

SECOND BAPTIST—North street. Rev. W. W. Nelson, minister. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Katherine Engs, supt. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Praise service 7 p. m. E. Walker and C. Jackson in charge.

EAST BROOK METHODIST—Rev. Thomas Pollard, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Orville Kerr, supt. Service 11 a. m. Epworth League 7:30 p. m.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN—City square. Dr. Charles B. Wingerd, minister. Sabbath school 9:30 a. m. George R. McClelland, president; orchestra director. Elizabeth Brewster. Worship service 11 a. m. theme, "For Ye Have Not Gone This Way Before." Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m. Geraldine Fry leader. Worship 7:45 p. m. Samuel Rashid, a Syrian, will be the guest speaker: "Shall the Twain Meet?"

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—North Jefferson and Falls streets. Minister, Rev. W. E. McClure, D. D. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Superintendent, Arthur B. Foster. Morning worship 11 a. m. Theme, "The Word Became Flesh." Christmas music. Christmas vesper service four p. m. Sacred cantata, "Bethlehem", by Mauder, sung by the chorus and junior choir. Special Christmas program. Thomas H. Webber Jr., organist and director.

CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod)—Corner East Washington and Beckford streets. Rev. W. R. Sommerfeld, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Divine services in English at 10:15 a. m. German services at 11:15 a. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—334 East Moody avenue. Church service at 11 a. m. Sunday school convenes at 11 a. m. Subject, "Christian Science." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m. Reading room, sixth floor Green building, open daily (except Sundays and holidays) from 12:30 to 4 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—North and Neshannock avenue. F. E. Stough, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Albert P. Trese superintendent. Chief service 10:45 a. m. Confessional service every Sunday. Sermon subject, "Old Age." Vespers 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Birth of Jesus", in pictures.

EWORTH METHODIST—Corner of Washington and Butler Ave. S. L. Maxwell, D. D., pastor. 9:45 a. m. Sunday school: 11 a. m. morning worship. Sermon by the pastor: 6 p. m. Carol singing by Epworth League; 6:30 p. m. Junior League; 7:15 p. m. Carol singing at Community Tree; 7:30 p. m. evening worship. Sermon, "The X in Xmas."

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST—1411 Wilson avenue. Sabbath school 1:15; preaching 2:45 every Saturday. Preaching Sunday evening subject, "The Papacy in Modern Times or the Rise and Work of the Leopard Symbol of Revelations Thirteen." Bring your Bible. No collections.

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ST. GEORGE—Reynolds and Agnew street. Rev. J. Methodius, D. D., pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Divine Liturgy, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, "Joseph and His Dream" 11:30 a. m.

EMANUEL EVANGELICAL—Jefferson and West South streets. Rev. J. Finkbeiner, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Dr. W. L. Beal, superintendent; 11:00 a. m. Junior church, Miss Belah Magrude, leader; worship sermon by pastor, "The Creator of Christianity"; 6:30 p. m. Epworth League; 7:30 a. m. service, "Why the Chimes Ring."

GREENWOOD METHODIST—Energy, Rev. Sam Maitland, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Ellis Sheaffer, superintendent; preaching 11 a. m. "Fellowship of the Cross," 2:30. Rev. E. J. Hall, guest speaker. Epworth League 7 p. m.; prayer meeting 7:45 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—14 West Grant street. Rev. A. M. Stump, pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, A. T. Chamberlain, pastor; 10:40 a. m. English services; 11:40 a. m. German services; 2:30 p. m. meeting of catechumens; 7:30 p. m. English services.

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—A. J. Randles, minister. Public worship at 11 a. m. Sermon topic, "Essential characteristics for the New Year. Bible school at 9:30 a. m.

BETHEL A. M. E.—312 Green street. Rev. William McPherson, pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Gabriel Clark, supt.; 11 a. m. sermon, "Endurance"; 6:30 p. m. young people's meeting, Frederick Wilkes, leader; 7:45 p. m. worship service with sermon on "Invitation."

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL—E. Long avenue. Rev. Samuel Black, pastor in charge; 10 a. m. Sunday school, J. C. Hetrick, supt.; 7:30 p. m. evensong and prayer.

ZION LUTHERAN—Crawford avenue. Rev. J. W. Eckman, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Divine service at 10:45 a. m. Sunday school Christmas program 7 p. m.

CLINTON METHODIST—Wampum district. Rev. W. W. Wells, pastor; 10 a. m. Sunday school; 6:45 p. m. Epworth League, Dorothy Dougherty, leader; 7:30 p. m. preaching. "We Walk By Faith," official board meeting at close of evening service.

BETHEL A. M. E.—616 West North street. Rev. S. J. Jackson, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. H. Hawkins, supt. Morning worship 11 o'clock, sermon by pastor, subject, "The Supreme Gift of Love." Preaching by pastor at 7:30 p. m. "The Gospel of Jesus Christ."

OIL CITY WOMAN IS ATTACKED BY DOGS (International News Service)

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 26.—Police today were seeking the owner of two dogs who attacked Mrs. J. P. Skelly of Oil City. Mrs. Skelly was thrown to the ground, but escaped injury. She was suffering from fright.

LIFELONG RESIDENT OF MERCER IS DEAD (International News Service)

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 26.—Funeral services were arranged today for James C. Williams, 76, a lifelong resident of two months. He died after a two months illness. He leaves his widow and one son, George, of Greenville.

BETHANY LUTHERAN—East Washington street. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Installation of officers. Worship service and holy communion. Rev. Oscar Woods in charge. Luther League 6:45 p. m. Christmas service at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL SERVICES—Third floor of city building. Mrs. George Frey in charge. Sunday evening Rev. Pearl Benner of Pittsburgh will give a semi-annual

lecture. Music by Eddie Brown. Divine healing by Mrs. Lydia Brown.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL—East Long avenue. Christmas Eve, midnight celebration of the Holy Communion. The Rev. E. H. Edson of Wellsville, N. Y., will be the celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Samuel Black. The service will start at 11:30 p. m.

FIRST FREE METHODIST—Arlington avenue. George G. Burke, Minister. Sabbath school 9:30 a. m. Classes for all. Mrs. Lenora McGaffey, supt. Preaching at 11 o'clock, followed by class meeting. Song and Praise service 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic sermon at eight o'clock.

SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF TRUTH—McGraw hall, Washington street. Rev. Agnes E. Guthrie, pastor. Lesson and lecture on "My Prayer" with demonstration of spirit return. Mediums Dr. F. B. Tarr, Miss M. Davis, Fred Shatzler and Mrs. E. A. Ware. Miss Nellie Ingram, pianist, divine healing. Mrs. E. A. Ware and Dr. Tarr.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—E. Reynolds street. Rev. Rees T. Williams, minister. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Miss Cecilia Hughes superintendent; Welsh worship with sermon 11 a. m. "The Unchangeable Christ," junior Christian Endeavor 2:30 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. leader, William P. Williams; English worship with sermon 7:30 p. m. "The Drama of Life."

THIRD UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—E. Washington street, Rev. S. B. Copeland, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. G. H. Colton, superintendent; 11 a. m. "Old Paths" Intermediate and Y. P. C. U. 6:30 p. m., leaders Helen Klyne, Marian Wardman and Gilbert Colnot; 7:30 p. m. worship service "The Cross Itself." Observers, What They Saw."

WESLEY METHODIST—West and Albert streets. Bible school at 9:45 a. m., J. Lee McFadden, supt.; 11, "What of 1932?"; 6:30, young peoples meetings; 7:30, annual Christmas program of the Bible school.

FIRST CHRISTIAN—On the square. G. S. Bennett, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "So Great Salvation." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. No evening preaching service. Sunday evening service changed to Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

TRINITY—Corner of North Mill and East Falls streets. Rev. Philip C. Pearson, rector; Paul B. Patterson, organist and choirmaster. Tomorrow is the Feast of St. John, apostle and evangelist. Services: 7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., annual Christmas festival service, church school, all departments, assembly in the guild room, followed by holy communion and address, church; 11 a. m., processions, holy communion and sermon; 6:30 p. m., meeting for two classes, guild room; 7:30 p. m., professions, evening prayer and sermon, festival service. Special Christmas music at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

ITALIAN A. M.—South Mill and Phillips streets. Rev. S. Musso, pastor. Sunday services in Italian and English. Morning prayer at 10 o'clock, sermon subject, "Count Your Days." Evening prayer at 7:30, followed by a pageant, "The Christmas Story." Church school at 11 a. m. Miss Ida Schnacken, supt.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN—Long and Pennsylvania avenues. Rev. C. W. Johnstone, pastor; A. W. Baum, supt.; David Lewis, chorister; Edith Jones, pianist. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Morning services 10:45, sermon subject, "Afterwards." Junior and senior Christian Endeavor meeting 6:15 p. m. The cantata, "His Natal Day," will be presented by the choir at 7:30 p. m., under the direction of David Lewis, chorister.

HUNGARIAN BAPTIST—102 E. Reynolds street. Rev. S. Revak, pastor. Prayer meeting 9 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m.; sermon 11 a. m. "Exceptional Result of Holy Conference"; 2 p. m., choir, under the direction of Louis Gentry; 7 p. m., young people's meeting; 8 p. m., preaching service, "Fire of Heaven."

FIRST BAPTIST—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. "Dividends of the Depression" at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting; Intermediate Society Mary E. McClain at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. "Remember" Rev. Geo. M. Landis, pastor.

HIGHLAND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Highland and Park avenues. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. in charge of the cabinet; 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. preaching services, Rev. Henry Evans, Birmingham, Mich. speaker. Young Peoples Christian Union and Intermediate meetings 6:15 p. m.

West Virginia Attacker Held (International News Service)

Nephew Of Governor Conley Sent To Hospital For Examination Of Injuries

(International News Service)

KINGWOOD, W. Va., Dec. 26.—Clyde A. Conley, 50, nephew of Governor William G. Conley, of Kingwood, today was confined to the Cumberland, Md., hospital, for examination of injuries suffered when he was beaten with a heavy steel poker allegedly in the hands of J. Walter Childs, a neighbor.

Conley subsequently attempted to commit suicide by firing five bullets into his head, police said.

Childs was held under \$1,000 bond after he waived a preliminary hearing following his arrest. Conley alleged Childs beat him with the poker when he and Mrs. Conley went to the Childs home to settle a dispute which arose as the result of a neighbor's short skirts an' bare knees I find myself singin' an' unmatchin'.

Relatives of Conley said a period of mental derangement followed the alleged attack by Childs. During this time of mental unbalance, they said, he attempted to end his life. The self-inflicted wounds were suffered with sermon on "Invitation."

OIL CITY WOMAN IS ATTACKED BY DOGS (International News Service)

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 26.—Police today were seeking the owner of two dogs who attacked Mrs. J. P. Skelly of Oil City. Mrs. Skelly was thrown to the ground, but escaped injury. She was suffering from fright.

LIFELONG RESIDENT OF MERCER IS DEAD (International News Service)

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 26.—Funeral services were arranged today for James C. Williams, 76, a lifelong resident of two months. He died after a two months illness. He leaves his widow and one son, George, of Greenville.

BETHANY LUTHERAN—East Washington street. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Installation of officers. Worship service and holy communion. Rev. Oscar Woods in charge. Luther League 6:45 p. m. Christmas service at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL SERVICES—Third floor of city building. Mrs. George Frey in charge. Sunday evening Rev. Pearl Benner of Pittsburgh will give a semi-annual

Vesper Service At First Church

Cantatas Will Feature The Sunday Afternoon Service With Augmented Choir

Sunday afternoon at four o'clock Thomas H. Webber Jr., organist and chorister of the First Presbyterian church, will present a special program of Christmas music in the church auditorium, with the cantata, "Bethlehem", featuring the choir.

It will be given in three parts: "The Shepherds' Gifts"; "The King's Gifts"; and "Our Gift", with solo numbers interspersed with the choruses.

The choir will include:

Sopranos: Mrs. James Stone, Mrs. Clinton Keagy, Mrs. Arthur Paden, Miss Margaret Williams, Mrs. James McNeil, Mrs. Lillian Butcher Stambaugh.

Alto: Miss Ruth Sampie, Miss Miriam Harris, Miss Hazel Campbell, Mrs. Hannah Woodworth, Mrs. Winifred Westlake.

Tenor: Mr. David Reese, Mr. Edward Williams, Mr. Morgan Jones, Mr. Wilfred Thomas, Mr. Howard Wylie.

Basses: Mr. William Jones, Mr. James A. McNeil, Mr. Ted Stritmatter, Mr. Samuel McCleary, Mr. George Westlake.

Junior Choir

Marian Ramsey, Floy Ramsey, Virginia Ramsey, Marjorie Thomas, Mary Louise Kirkpatrick, Leroy Todd, Dorothy Magill, Betty Campbell, Dorothy Hayes, Marie Moore, Virginia Gillan, Susanna Knox, Peggy Patterson, Jane Martin, Mary Lou Ferguson, Fred Tim, Jack McNeill, Charlotte Reynolds, Eleanor Reynolds, Donald Lusk, Martha McCluskey, Betty Drio, Carl Sherer, Chester Sherer, Margaret Balla, Merle Birney, Jean Ramsey, Marion Butler, Lona Gray, Sara Jane Cleland, Billy Cleland, Evelyn Atkinson, George Forrester, Wilda Stewart, James Cummins, Nancy McDonald, Robert Magill, Robert McNeill, Robert Ramsey, Halle Davis, Kathryn Todd.

PAYNE A. M. E. MISSION—208 Mahoning avenue. Rev. J. H. Clark, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. preaching 11 a. m., class meeting at noon; Sunrise prayer service 6 a. m.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST—Corner of Jefferson and Reynolds streets. Sunday school at 9:45, Superintendent Griffith Phillips; vice pastor, Brinley Hughes; prayer and song service at 11 o'clock and the children's cantata at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Everybody welcome.

MAITLAND MEMORIAL—Corner of South Mill and Maitland streets. W. E. Tyrell, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning "House" prayer meeting at 8:30 o'clock in the morning; Sunday school "Missionary Day" with a special program at 9:30 a. m. Morning Christmas service with Christmas singing at 11 a. m., subject, "The Meaning of the Christ Birth." Afternoon Holiness service at 3 p. m. Stanley Burdette; shepherd will be Ernest Guy, Arthur Minick and Russell McNeile; Mary, the mother, Edith Zeigler; and angels, Marian Altman, Margaret Davies, Bernice Dunkerly, Virginia Gurgay, Dorothy Miller, Ruth Richey, Marian Bordin and Virginia Wilson.

The choir will assist in the music.

Lasting Glory At Third Church

Christmas Pageant Will Be Presented Monday Evening By Sunday School Of Church

Monday evening, December 28, at 8 o'clock the Sunday school of the Third United Presbyterian church will present a new pageant for Christmas, "Lasting Glory".

The reader will be Mrs. Margaret Moore and the characters will include: Israelites, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Belchey, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burdette; shepherd will be Ernest Guy, Arthur Minick and Russell McNeile; Mary, the mother, Edith Zeigler; and angels, Marian Altman, Margaret Davies, Bernice Dunkerly, Virginia Gurgay, Dorothy Miller, Ruth Richey, Marian Bordin and Virginia Wilson.

The choir will assist in the music.

Golden Wedding Event Observed

(Special To The News)

GROVE CITY, Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Callahan of Jackson street celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary today at their home. Covers were laid for 27 relatives including three of five children of the family. Mrs. W. A. Firm and C. A. Callahan of Grove City and Mrs. F. L. Beale of Kansas. William Callahan, widely known, accidentally killed, is the only deceased member of the family. A handsome gift of gold by the family and other remembrances from friends arrived. W. B. Callahan has been employed by the Bessemer Railroad for 35 years as a foreman mechanic. The pair were married at Jackson Centre. They have made their home here for 40 years.

Dr. Charles B. Wingerd, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, announced a special baptismal service for Sunday evening.

The service will begin at 7:30 with the devotions, after which the pastor will instruct the converts as to the meaning of the baptismal rite.

Mrs. Olive Kellner will preach the sermon.

FRANKLIN MAN IS PLACED IN JAIL

(International News Service)

FRANKLIN, Pa., Dec. 26.—D. B. Bowser, former real estate operator here, today was held in jail because his bondsmen cancelled \$500 bail posted on a charge of driving a car while under the influence of liquor. Bowser, who says he was ill and not drinking, was taken to jail Christmas day.

Following a long term of years where trained teachers of proper academic standing were hard to secure for the present at least there are more than can be absorbed. This is accounted for by the educators in the explanation of the depression driving many former teachers back to the profession.

Plotter Against Jap Ambassador To-Quit Moscow

Charge Czechoslovakian Secretary With Planning Death Of Koki Hirota

SOVIET COMRADE HAS CONFESSED

By KENDAL FOSS
International News Service Staff Correspondent

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—The foreign diplomat who allegedly plotted against the life of Koki Hirota, Japanese Ambassador to Moscow, in an effort to provoke war between Japan and Russia was revealed today as the second secretary of the Czechoslovakian mission here. Dr. Carl Vanek, who also is a psychologist.

The plot, flashed to the world exclusively by International News Service, was revealed when a Soviet comrade, designated as "Mr. G" confessed to G. P. U. (Soviet secret police) that he had been approached by the foreigner and asked to shoot at Ambassador Hirota as he rode through the streets of the capital.

The Soviet government immediately requested the Czechoslovakian government to recall Dr. Vanek which they did. In compliance he left here at 10:30 p. m. last night, it was learned today.

Moscow was aghast with the news of which it received few details until today. Political observers were at a loss to explain it.

The Soviet agent "Mr. G" was arrested by the G. P. U. who now are holding him pending further investigation of the strange case.

These are the questions being asked here.

"Was Dr. Vanek's government aware of his role in the plot to assassinate Ambassador Hirota?"

"Has the Czechoslovakian government encouraged the sale of arms by Skoda to Chinese troops and, if so what is Czechoslovakia's aim?"

"Are any other western European

powers involved in the conspiracy to bring about hostilities between Russia and Japan?"

The Czechoslovakian diplomatic mission here refused to supply the answers. Newsmen were refused interviews with any responsible members of the mission which is actually a superior trade delegation throughout the status of an embassy or legation.

The assassination plot, flashed to the world by International News Service Thursday more than twelve hours ahead of any other news agency, was first revealed when a Soviet transport commissioner employee designated merely as "Mr. G" confessed to G. P. U. the Soviet secret police, that he had been approached by a foreign diplomat and asked to fire upon Ambassador Hirota as he motored through the streets of Moscow.

Relations Strained

(International News Service) London, Dec. 26.—Trade relations between Soviet Russia and Czechoslovakia may be broken off as a result of the allegation that Dr. Carl Vanek, Czechoslovakian diplomat at Moscow, instigated a plot to assassinate the Japanese Ambassador at Moscow.

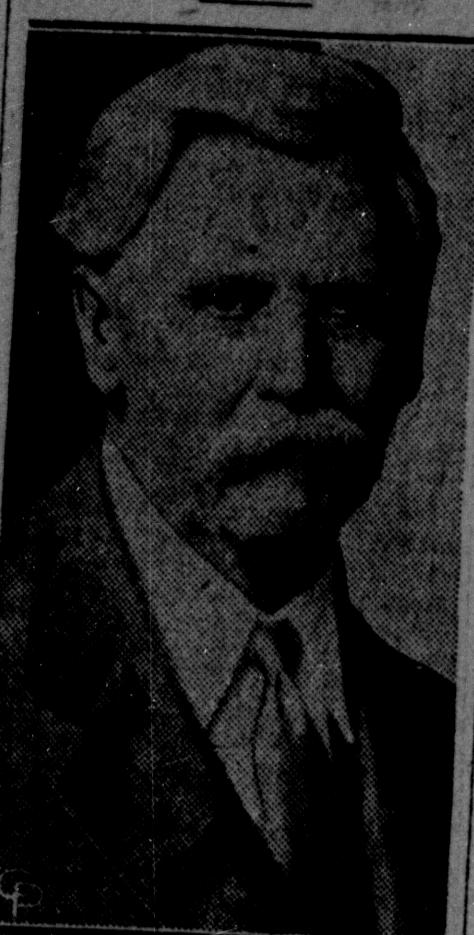
Czechoslovakia has not extended full recognition to Soviet Russia but the Soviet Embassy here asserted today disclosure of the conspiracy may jeopardize such de facto relations as now exist.

The Embassy expressed surprise at the news from Moscow in view of the fact that relations between the two governments had been fairly friendly.



College Boys Of Years Ago Also Drank

Veteran Professor Defends Youth Of Today



PROF. LUTHER (Daddy) DEFOE

By J. C. JOHNSEN
(Central Press Correspondent)

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 26.—"Forty years ago drinking was a student problem.

"And in spite of prohibition drinking still is a student problem."

Prof. Luther M. Defoe was speaking. For two score years he has been at the University of Missouri as a teacher and student advisor.

To thousands of men and women over the country he is better known as "Daddy" Defoe and to many of them he has given that fatherly lift that it takes to straighten out young students who have errred.

No Better, No Worse
And because of this fact "Daddy" Defoe is to the defense of modern youth.

"They are no worse today than they were 40 years ago and the students of 40 years ago were just as good as those of this age," asserted the veteran professor.

His expression of student defense came on the day he became emeritus professor of mechanics in engineering. However, just because his teaching days are over does not mean that "Daddy" Defoe is through at the University of Missouri.

He is going to remain in an advisory capacity. His 40 years on the M. U. campus have given him a wealth of knowledge as to how to help and advise youthful students. And in this capacity he will continue his connections at the university.

Our program for Monday will be a rural-urban program with J. Audley Boak as the speaker of the day. Mr. Boak is a former state master of the granges and is well known to most of us. We know he will give us an interesting address.

Grant Waddle attended Buffalo Rotary.

Christmas greetings were addressed to the club from McKeepport Rotary convention committee, the district governor and that grand old man of Rotary, Spencer Free of DuBois.

CARL E. PAISNER,
Secretary.

St. Mary's Church Crowded Christmas

Special Music Is Part Of The Christmas Observance At This Church

All services held in connection with the observance of Christmas at St. Mary's Church were attended by congregations of worshippers that filled every available bit of space in the spacious interior of the church.

The Christmas observance started with the midnight mass, which started Christmas Eve, shortly before midnight. Four other masses were held later in the morning, the Christmas services being brought to a close with the eleven o'clock mass.

Music presented in connection with the midnight and eleven o'clock masses was of a special character. Rev. Fr. F. S. Clifford was in charge of the choir, while Garth Edmundson, organist of the First Baptist church presided at the organ in both these services and played special numbers in keeping with the service and the season of the year being observed.

Rev. Fr. Leo Waiterson was celebrant at the midnight mass, Rev. Fr. Regis Krah, O. M. Cap, deacon and preached and Rev. Fr. P. J. McMenina, pastor of the parish, sub-deacon.

SHENANGO HOSPITAL ALUMNAE WILL MEET

A meeting of the Shenango Valley Hospital Alumnae Association will be held in the solarium of the Jameson Memorial hospital Monday at 8 p. m.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

STORIES WILL BE TOLD AT LIBRARY ON NEXT THURSDAY

Children's story hours will commence again on next Thursday afternoon, according to announcement from the juvenile department of the New Castle free public library today.

Miss Alice Joyce, children's librarian, will be in charge.

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

PINCHOT'S GREETING

A Christmas greeting card was received by Scout Executive and Mrs. H. G. Horton from Governor and Mrs. Gifford Pinchot. They are friends of the Pinchot family.

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

IN TRESPASS CASE

Robert Turner, by his father, Charles Turner, and Charles Turner in his own right, has filed a summons in trespass at the prothonotary's office against C. Edward F. Knoblock. The writ is returnable on the first Monday of February. Statement of claim will be filed later.

SUMMONS IS FILED

Happy Christmas For Wards Of State

(Special To The News)

CRESSON, Pa., Dec. 26.—Christmas is inevitably associated with home and kiddies, with red and green festooning, with gifts and gladness. Here in Cresson, where the State Department of Health, is host to more than 200 children who are receiving treatment and care to ward off and cure tuberculosis. Christmas had all the joy and happiness that could be packed into the occasion.

For days and weeks there has been a great time of expectation. Little faces filled with Christmas hope, and little minds turning with anticipation toward that day that bulked larger in the childish life than any other day in all the calendar year. Would Santa Claus come to the mountain top? Could he find his way so far from home and fire-side and could he carry all the toys that would be needed to remember so many children?

Indeed he could and indeed he did! He came yesterday morning, December 25th. He came straight down the great chimney in the assembly room of the Children's wards in the sanitarium. He was just the jolliest and happiest old St. Nick you ever saw. And the tremendous assortment of presents he had for every last single one of the children who are guests of the institution!

With little hearts almost bursting with anticipation the entire 200 gathered at 9 a. m. in the assembly room. Christmas carols were sung, but not for long, for the great event was the advent of Santa Claus. He was on time, and because he had been aided by so much previous planning and because so many willing hands and hearts all over the state remembered the children at Cresson, he was able to make every boy and girl, no matter how young or how old, in the sanitarium very, very happy on Christmas day.

On Thursday afternoon the Loyal Order of Moose of Cresson had come racing up to the sanitarium on the village fire truck, and with a half a dozen Santas on the ladders, brought an orange, an apple and a sack of candy for every single one of the children. When Christmas day really came however, there was additional evidence of what others had planned. It was noted that a group of business men in this sec-

tion had remembered how boys and girls love toys, and so they had adopted a motto for their helpfulness. It was:—"No useful presents!" After all Christmas is toy time. And so, with liberal contributions, they had provided sleds and skates, dolls and drums, footballs and mechanical runabouts—all the things that children love to possess and play with.

Many, many other groups throughout western Pennsylvania had remembered to send toys, and in conjunction with the plans worked out by Dr. Stites and Dr. Cowan, together with Miss Addison, Christmas this year at Cresson was as happy and joyous as it could possibly be, for a great group of children away from home. Many parents were able to come for a short visit with the kiddies, and about 20 of the youngsters went home over the holidays.

The grounds have been beautifully decorated with Christmas trees glowing here and there through the night, for some two weeks. A great tree, marvellously lighted is in one of the sun parlors where it can be seen easily by many patients from their rooms. The Christmas spirit was everywhere throughout the institution. Smiles, and good wishes resounded all over this mountain top. Thanks to the hand of love in so many places, for the children in the Cresson sanitarium, it was a very, very Merry Christmas!

New Wilmington

CANTATA GIVEN

"The Coming of the King" a cantata for the Christmas Tide, was sung at the J. P. Church Wednesday evening as the regular Christmas offering of the choir, which was augmented by a large number of voices, and which was put on in a very successful manner, before a large and appreciative audience.

Among those taking part were: Sopranos—Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Freeman, Miss Mercer, Miss Love, Mary Brahm, Miss Sowash, Anna Barr, Ruth Martin, Ruthine Miller, Marian Ferver and Elizabeth Rose.

Tenors—Dr. Hart, Mr. Sears, Wm. Hamilton, Thomas Gremel and Homer Dishong.

Alto—Mrs. Rugh, Miss Stewart, Thea Hartwell, Lillian Baird, Martha Hazlett, Margaret Weber, Thelma Edwards, Lois McGill, Lowrene Swindler, Elizabeth Mackin and Jane Stunkard.

Basses—Mr. Kirkbride, Dr. Black, Prof. Murray, Scott McMunn, William Frack, Willis McGill, Herb Smith, Lawrence Skilen, Russell Sewall, Charles McCormick.

Mrs. A. L. Skillen served as accompanist and Miss Elizabeth Rose as director.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

A delightful Christmas party was enjoyed Wednesday evening at the home of Royce Moore on Neshannock avenue, when the Misses Dorothy Donaldson, Dorothy Ellison and Mrs. Moore were the joint hostesses to the members of the "Globe Family" and their friends.

Gifts were exchanged following which refreshments were served by the hostesses.

At the conclusion those presented the heads of the Globe Family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conway, with a bridge lamp.

ENTERTAINED AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thompson entertained at dinner recently Rev. and Mrs. Parsons of Pulaski, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter and daughters, Lois and Elizabeth of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. David P. Thompson, Samuel P. Thompson, Miss Alice R. Thompson and Paul B. Thompson.

CHRISTMAS TREE

Nearly every home in New Wilmington is resplendent with trees and lights commemorating Christmas, but the most beautiful and yet the most simple, is that of Mr. J. L. Coulter on Neshannock Avenue. Everything is in proportion and the lighting effect is marvelous.

D. A. R. MEETING

Neshannock Chapter D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. J. L. Brown at a date to be set later. Some matters of interest and others of importance are to be considered. All members are requested to be present. All unpaid chapter dues are to be paid at this meeting.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, the following program will be given:

Roll Call
Christmas thoughts
Valley Forge—Mrs. S. A. Kirkbride

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christmas party of the primary department, and some of the younger classes of the Presbyterian Sa-ba school was held this afternoon.

SCHOOL NOTES

The various Christmas performances were given as follows:

Room 1—Recitation: Jean Calhoun, Buddy Fulton, Jean Wilson, Billy Davidson, Shirley Kaufman.

REduced

Heated Storage

for Winter Months

24 Hour Service

—\$6.00 per month

Dead Storage

—\$5.00 per month

Cost Less by the Pair.

SEARS, ROEBUCK

AND CO.

420 Croton Avenue.

Phone 3572.

Herman Sharp, Gordon Pitzer, Mae Evans, Martin Miller, Helen Williamson, Nance Thompson.

Song: Jane Pitzer, Mary McQuiston, Caroline Getty, Jean Thompson and Charles Evans.

Recitations were also given by Wanda Anderson, David Wilson, Gilbert Swindler, John Odd, Caroline Getty, Kathryn Gaines, Mary McQuiston, Joe Martin, Florence Reynolds, Jean Thompson, Donald Byler, George Hart, Francis Neale, Albin Miller, Janet Hill and Jane Pitzer.

Room 2—Play "The Lazy Elf."

Room 3—The Christmas Toy Shop

Shopman—Russell Williamson

Wife—Helen Whitman

Jack—John White

Meg—Eileen Flotta

City Baby—Midrid Bracken

Wooden Soldiers—William Sampson, Charles Hayes, Reed Miller, Donald Wright

Noah Family—Robert Calhoun, Mary Sampson, Mary Catherine Bott, Eileen Hoover, Helen Francis

Others taking part were:

Betty Byler, John Francis, Robert Newton, Robert Shaffer, Edward Freeman, William Vlewig, George Hale Getty, Margaret Orr, Helen Francis, Charlotte Davis, Helen Hogue, Eileen Hoover, Mary Martha Orr, Lois Axe, Laura Mae Kauffman, Elizabeth Hayes.

Encyclical Issued In Vatican By Pope

Expresses Wish That He Sees Alliance Of Orthodox And Catholic Church

(International News Service)

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 26—Expressing the wish that he would be able to see an alliance of the Orthodox church with the Roman Catholic church before he dies, Pope Pius XI today issued an encyclical letter in connection with the fifteenth centenary anniversary of the Council of Ephesus.

In the letter, headed "Lux Veritatis," the Pope repeated the three dogmas promulgated by the Council of Ephesus: Belief in the primacy of the bishop at Rome; the divinity of the single person of Christ; the divinity of motherhood in the Virgin Mary.

Savannah News

CHURCH SERVICES

Services Sunday, December 27 are as follows: Church School Session at the hour of 10:00 a. m. Teachers will distribute the treat to their classes following the service. Morning worship at the hour of 11:00 a. m. Sermon theme, "The New Way." Epworth League at 5:45, followed by the evening worship at 7:30 p. m.

There will be no Wednesday evening service on December 30, but in its place on New Year's Eve, the Young Married People's Class will sponsor a Watch Night Service.

Present Program

On Wednesday evening, December 23rd, the Church School gave a very well prepared and presented program for Christmas. The church had been beautifully decorated by the young men's and women's classes of the school. The program was presented as follows:

Part I. Children's Division

Chorus, "Glory to God in the Highest."—School.

Hymn, "Joy to the World"—Congregation.

Scripture Reading by Pearl Badger.

Prayer by Rev. V. L. Bloomquist.

Recitation—Lois Trimble.

Recitation—Billy Tindall.

Exercise by Primary Class.

Recitation—Clair Druschell.

Recitation—Reese Thomas.

Song—Primary Department.

Recitation—Edith Trimble.

Recitation—Jack Montgomery.

Recitation—Johnnie Stickle.

Recitation—Billy Klingensmith.

Recitation—William Tindall.

Exercise, "The Shepherds" by the Live Wire Class.

Recitation—Johnnie Tanner.

Recitation—Walter Druschell.

Recitation—Billy Booher.

Recitation—Dorothy Stickle.

Hymn, by the Congregation.

Exercise, "The Birth of Peace" by Mrs. Tanner's Class.

Offering for Welfare Fund.

Part Two

The Young Ladies Class, taught by Mr. I. M. Reed, presented a play under the title, "The Ladies League Trim the Tree."

Closing Hymn by the Congregation.

Sedication.

Mr. Klingensmith's class of girls met on Thursday to prepare the treat for the school.

SAVANNAH NOTES

Christmas guests at the home of J. H. Booher were Mrs. Hoover from Adams street and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Guy of Elwood City.

Russell Bloomquist of Jamestown, N. Y., was an over night guest at the home of Rev. Bloomquist last Wednesday.

Miss Virginia Weinschenk left Wednesday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with friends in Porto Rico.

Rev. and Mrs. Bloomquist and family spent Christmas at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harold L. Black of New Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Body entertained their family at dinner Christmas day, among those present were Mrs. Alice Bratz of East Brook, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McPhee and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Druschell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Follett of Beaver Falls were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Geiger.

Miss Margaret Weinschenk of Cleveland, and George Weinschenk of Pittsburgh spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Weinschenk.

MOTORIST DITCHES

TWO HUNTING DOGS

(International News Service)

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 26.—Chief of police Charles Levan is investigating the mysterious action of a motorist who stopped his automobile and pushed two hunting dogs from the car and then sped away.

The dogs were chained together and bore tags showing they had been licensed in Union county.

Study Speech Habits Of State Students

(International News Service)

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Dec. 26—

Ability to read aloud pleasantly and intelligently is fast becoming a lost art, an examination of more than one thousand freshmen at the Pennsylvania State College reveals.

Enunciation was only fair and some pronunciation was "fearfully and grotesquely," the report on the examination.

The test of 963 men and 201 women in first year class was conducted by the public speaking staff of the college.

The examination was one of the first attempts of any college to study speech habits on a large scale with a view to discovering and giving corrective treatment for speech impediment.

Recommend Help

Twenty eight students were found to be in need of immediate corrective treatment, while sixty were recommended for help as soon as the facilities of the speech clinic could take care of them. Appreciable deviations from normal were noted in about eight per cent of the students.

Failure to read aloud intelligently may be due to the "silent method" of reading commonly used, the report suggested, while carelessness and haste combined with a limited vocabulary and unfamiliarity with correct auditory methods were advanced as the apparent causes for mispronunciation.

How To Help Handicapped Youngsters

Would Send More Slayers To Chair

Wilkes-Barre Judge Claims Too Few Murderers Are Sent To Chair

Dr. Clendening Urges The Teaching Of Lip Reading

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

Permanent impairment of hearing or progressive impairment of whatever degree, weighs more heavily on the child than the adult. If a person has been able to hear well during school years and then begins to lose acuteness of that sense, he has at least established a foundation of knowledge of sounds.

In the letter, headed "Lux Veritatis," the Pope repeated the three dogmas promulgated by the Council of Ephesus: Belief in the primacy of the bishop at Rome; the divinity of the single person of Christ; the divinity of motherhood in the Virgin Mary.

The prosperity of a jest, you remember, lies more in the ear of him who hears it than in the tongue of him who speaks it. And this is true of other forms of communication than jokes. Emphasis and inflection often make all the sense of a joke, or any other form of communication. "Oh! Yeah!" depends for its success on a very delicate mode of instrumentation. Much of the richness of reading is for this reason preserved for the adult who has had good hearing in youth.

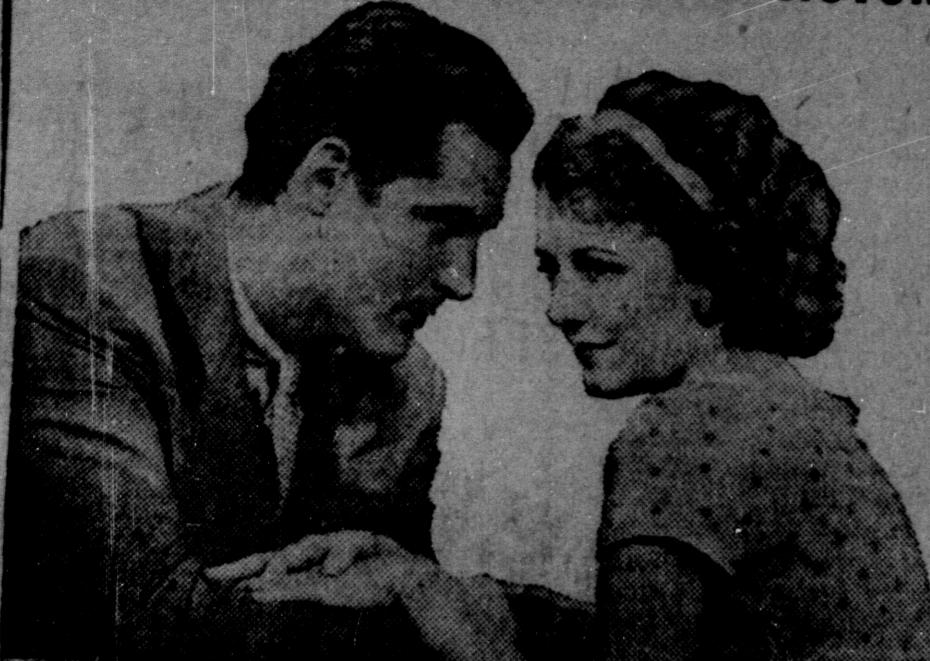
When they once begin to learn lip reading, they make more real progress than the child who always has been hard of hearing.

VICTOR

THE SHOW PLACE OF NEW CASTLE

COME EARLY [NOW PLAYING] LAST 5 DAYS

ANOTHER BIG HIT FOR THE VICTOR



DELICIOUS
Is The Word For It!
A wee bit of Scotch loveliness... and a million-air playboy... joyously responding to the love and laughter their meeting brings.

JANET GAYNOR
CHARLES FARRELL

in
Delicious

with
EL BRENDENMusic by **GEORGE GERSHWIN**
Directed by David Butler

A FOX PICTURE

Songs You'll Be Humming Soon...
"Delicious," "Blah-Blah with You," "You Started It," "Somebody from Somewhere," "Katinkitschka," "New York Rhapsody"

LIQUOR ARGUMENT

IS NEARLY FATAL

(International News Service) CANONSBURG, Pa., Dec. 26.—Wilson Williams, 39, of Midland, was in a critical condition at the hospital today following a quarrel at his boarding house. Police allege that Williams suffered a fractured skull when struck over the (Cont.) Spectator.

head by a poker in the hands of Henry Barnett in a quarrel over who should purchase the Christmas liquor supply.

A policeman in California found employment for 140 jobless in one month. Which is the best way of moving them off street corners we ever heard of. — The Hamilton (Cont.) Spectator.

\$1

For one dollar you can telephone to friends, relatives or customers almost two hundred miles away. For example: from New Castle to Harrisburg. And after 8:30 P. M. it's only . . . **60 cents!**

These low rates apply on calls for a number when you do not ask the operator for a specific person—and are for a 3-minute connection. Just give the number to the operator (ask information if you don't know it) and "hold the line."

**TELEPHONE**

TOYS
1/2 Off

Former New Low Prices

CHINA & GLASSWARE**1/4 Off**

Former New Low Prices

CRIPPS HARDWARE CO.

On The Diamond

Corned Beef
Ready to Serve
25c
NATIONAL MARKET CO.

Culbertson And Lentz To Resume Contract Battle

Contract Bridge Experts Will Engage In Thirteenth Session

MRS. CULBERTSON LIKELY TO RETURN

(International News Service) NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Defying ancient superstition, members of the Culbertson-Lenz teams will resume the contract bridge "battle of the century" today without fear.

They will sit down to the 13th session of the match, starting for the first time in the afternoon instead of the evening.

El Culbertson may again have his wife, Mrs. Josephine Culbertson, as a partner today, when the 87th of the 150 scheduled rubbers is started against Sidney Lentz and Oswald Jacoby.

Mrs. Culbertson dropped out for the Christmas holidays. Culbertson, defender of the approach-forcing system, has a lead of 14,525 on his side.

If Mrs. Culbertson does not return to the contest today, Theodore A. Lightner will most likely again be Culbertson's partner.

Lenz, exponent of the "1-2-3" variation of the "official" system, believed the lead against his side was not insurmountable, and that with a good run of cards victory would swing to him and his partner.

ENON VALLEY

George Thomas was in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Jake Shaffer is reported to be on the sick list.

F. R. Robertson was in Pittsburgh on Saturday.

Dr. E. D. Jackson is still very poorly at his home.

Mrs. William Nesbit was a Beaver Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Houston was in Pittsburgh on Wednesday.

Mrs. James Lambright was in Beaver Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Williams were in Beaver Falls on Tuesday.

Carl Goschki and daughter Anna were in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Duignan were New Castle shoppers on Thursday.

William Lambright and sister Rosalind were in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Louise Dannels and Mrs. W. M. Booth were in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Pauline Dannels and Shirley Kale are reported ill at their homes.

Mrs. W. A. Ross and son Addison were Beaver Falls shoppers on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kale and family were New Castle shoppers on Thursday.

Mrs. Joseph Knepp and Mrs. Phillip Knepp were New Castle shoppers on Wednesday.

Henry Speerhas and George Vongberg returned to their homes from Electrical school, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McRoberts entertained relatives from Cleveland, Ohio, on Christmas Day.

John Wilson of Alliance, Ohio, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Snyder of Muncie, Ind., is visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. Callie Riddle.

Mrs. William Alexander of Alliance, O., spent Thursday at the home of her mother Mrs. Cynthia Rager.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crook and family of East Fairfield, Ohio, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lena Inboden.

Mrs. W. G. Inboden returned home Monday after a few days visit at the home of Mrs. H. B. Todd of Bellevue, Pa.

Betty, Peggy and Billy Dannels of Republic are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Inboden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neise and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. James Dutch and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Inboden at dinner on Christmas Day.

The regular Christmas entertainment was held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Inboden entertained at dinner on Christmas Day, H. H. Hartford of East Palestine, O., H. R. Ziegler of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Booth, Betty, Peggy and Billy Dannels of Republic, Pa., Mrs. H. B. Todd of Bellevue, Pa., and U. J. Bollinghof, Pittsburgh.

Four hundred unemployed were fed in Washington at public expenses. What? You know there aren't that many Congressmen.

Police Probing**Death Of Youth**

Fall Of 50 Feet Fatal To Youth At Dennison, Ohio; Police Investigate

(International News Service) DENNISON, O., Dec. 26.—Police today were investigating the fatal fall of Edward Maxwell, 22, of Dennison, who died after tumbling from the back porch of the home of Dudge Downey.

The victim, a cousin of Mayor Robert Maxwell, fell more than 50 feet. Downey was not at home when Maxwell came to the house.

Notice
To taxpayers of Neshannock township that after Dec. 31 one per cent will be added to school and county taxes.

C. R. STEVENSON, Collector.

11*

ANSWERS TO * SEZ YOU *

- True.
- True. Dogs lose their puppy teeth between the ages of four and six months; the age varies with different breeds.
- True. The rule is that the greater the atmospheric pressure, the higher the boiling point; atmospheric pressure is greater in a valley than on a mountain.
- True.
- False. Emile Zola was a French novelist.
- True. The president is elected directly by the electors, apportioned according to the population of each state. Obviously, a candidate might have a majority of the votes of the people but a minority of electors' votes.
- False. Coleoptera is the name of an order of insects which includes the beetles.
- True.
- True. Fernando Magellan was Portuguese.

Happy Ending to Mystery**Alleged Thieves Are In Custody**

Nearly Score Of Alleged Thieves Arrested In Greensburg District

STATE TROOPERS MAKE ARRESTS

(International News Service)

GREENSBURG, Pa., Dec. 26.—With nearly a score of men under arrest, State police today sought other suspects in their roundup of a gang of alleged thieves accused of terrorizing Western Pennsylvania communities for several months.

Arrest of the men was expected by State police to end a series of chicken thefts in Beatty, Bolivar, Derry, Heckler, Mammoth, Trauger, Wilpen and other communities. Some of the prisoners were said to have confessed to numerous thefts in these sections.

Nabbed By Troopers

Arrest of the gang was made by troopers after receiving information that the men were about to shift their activities to the Pittsburgh district. Thousands of dollars in loot, some of it taken from stores, was recovered with the arrest of the men, police reported.

Among those arrested were: Alonso Ryan, 21, and Mule Mettala, 21, of Black Lick; Andy Rudy, 24, Joe Lupin, 50, Andrew Lefnak, 44, all of Wilpen; Adam Ryelman, 57, Adam Raskouski, both of Breckinridge; Charles Shoaf, turned over to Washington county authorities; and Norman J. Evans and Martin F. Gladish, arrested in Butler. The latter two are wanted for questioning in connection with thefts in Armstrong and Westmoreland counties.

Joe Santi, William Cummings, Russell Mundorff and Vincent Kavatik were arrested at Blairsville.

North Beaver

Sterritt Douglas was a New Castle visitor Tuesday.

John Gleghorn was a New Castle visitor Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Chester McConnell and children were callers in New Castle Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fox and son were callers in New Castle Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leslie and son Francis were New Castle callers on Wednesday morning.

Miss Mary Alice Kyle a student at Geneva College, is spending the Christmas vacation at her home here.

Paul and Pauline Wallace, students at Oberlin College, are spending their vacation at their home here.

Mrs. Harold Hartzell, New Castle, and Laura Douglas were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Deringer Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Lipp, a student at Mansfield, Pa., is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lipp.

Mildred Evanski is confined to the New Castle hospital as the result of being caught between a telephone pole and an automobile at New Castle last week. Miss Evanski suffered a broken leg.

Lawrence Douglas a teacher at Swisshill, Pa., and Sterritt Douglas, a teacher at Struthers, O., are spending their Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Douglas, and family.

DRUNK DRIVING**BOND IS CANCELLED**

FRANKLIN, Pa., Dec. 26.—Because his bondsman cancelled his bail, D. B. Bowser, former real estate and insurance man, went to jail on Christmas to await trial at the January term in court for driving while intoxicated.

Bowser, under \$500 bond since his arrest in October, says he had been ill and not drinking at the time his car was seen weaving in and out of traffic. J. P. Shook, automobile dealer, surrendered the bond.

TRUSTS STRANGER, HOUSE IS ROBBED

NEW ALEXANDRIA, Pa., Dec. 26.—Mrs. Ada Fennell liked the appearance of a stranger so well that, when she went to a Christmas service at her church last night, she left the stranger to whom she had just rented room in possession of her house. Mrs. Fennell returned to find the stranger gone and with him three suits of men's clothing a raincoat, miscellaneous jewelry and six shirts. The man represented himself to be an insurance salesman.

ANCIENT HALL RESTORED.

(International News Service) DRESDEN—A new attraction has been added in this center of art on the Elbe by the restoration of the famous Marble Hall in the Zwinger in its original condition. Built in 1711, this hall was used for various purposes in the 18th century. The windows and marble arcades were bricked over, a chimney was erected in the middle of the room, and the marble flooring was replaced by boards. Twelve years ago the work of restoration was begun. All additions made since King August's days have been removed, and the hall is now open to visitors.

Furniture Repair Service**Rebuilding Refinishing Upholstering**

No Charge For Estimates.

Phone 6300.

The FREW Co.

FREW BLDG.

Corner Mill and North Sts.

PENN

ALL
NEXT
WEEK

BETTER'N SKIPPY!

THE PICTURE THAT STRIKES A NOTE OF HAPPINESS IN EVERY HEART—YOUNG AND OLD!



"SOOKY" (SKIPPY'S PAL)
JACKIE COOPER (AGAIN AS SKIPPY)
ROBERT COOGAN (JACKIE COOGAN'S BROTHER)

ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS
YOUR LAST CHANCE TONIGHT TO SEE
Joe E. BROWN
LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD
with
DOROTHY LEE RUTH HALL

Young Man Meets Death When Auto Crashes Freight

Companion Suffers Body Injuries In Crash Near Altoona

(International News Service) ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 26.—John Kendra, 23, was killed and Robert Foster, 19, was injured Christmas day when the car in which they were riding crashed into a standing freight train at a grade crossing in Riddlesburg, Bedford county, near here, it was reported today. The two men, both residents of Six Mile Run, were enroute home from Bedford. Kendra was instantly killed and it was necessary to send a wrecking crew to extricate the body. Foster is in Everett hospital with body bruises.

Better Cleaning

Suits, Topcoats 85c
O'Coats \$1.00
Dresses, plain \$1.10
2-Piece Pleated \$1.45
Fur Trimmed Coats \$1.45

PHONE 4185

Ellwood 269
New Wilmington 57
Slippery Rock 29-J

MAYBERRY'S

Primary In Spring Promises Interest

United States Senator, State Treasurer, And Auditor General To Be Named

Every Seat In House Of Representatives Will Be At Stake In April

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS
International News Service Staff Correspondent

HARRISBURG, Dec. 26.—Unless the special legislative session is protracted beyond all expectations, the spotlight of politics will be usurped soon after the first of the year by the campaigns of 1932.

Aside from the stage center claimed nationally in a presidential year, Pennsylvania itself promises spectacular contests of its own. Interest has been dimmed only by Philadelphia's intensive but futile battle to get the Republican national convention, an honor which went to Chicago.

The Keystone state will elect a United States senator, a state treasurer and an auditor general. Fence building for all three campaigns has been subtly in progress for many weeks, with most of the candidates still a matter of conjecture.

Counties and districts within the state will have hot political struggles all their own. Delegates to the national conventions of the two major parties will be on the spring primary ballots for their share of attention, and vying with them for interest will be contests for congressional nominations.

Sectional Battle

One sectional fight which will be watched from all parts of the state will be waged in the 15th Congressional District, where two candidates already have announced they will oppose Louis T. McFadden, Republican representative who has been declared "politically dead" in Washington for his utterances against President Hoover.

Mrs. Cornelia Bryce Pinchot, who lost to McFadden previously, has decided that April is an opportune

Now—

15¢
Buys This NEW 30 Watt
Mazda Lamp

10% Discount In Lots
of Six

MARVIN ELECTRIC CO.
22 N. Mercer St. Phone 288.

WRIGHT'S MARKET
No Phones No Solicitors

1931 Crop Banded
WALNUTS

or
Jumbo Britz
BRAZILS

3 lbs 73¢

Every Day a Bargain Day
at

WRIGHT'S MARKET

CITY MARKET
West Washington and
Beaver Streets

Home Dressed Fresh
Calf Liver
39¢ lb.

Fresh Calf
SWEETBREADS
39¢ lb.

RICHMAN'S
CLOTHES

Now

\$20

131 E. Washington St.

Wayfarers Are Remembered On Christmas Day

Mr. And Mrs. G. A. Perry Give Men At City Lodging Place A Feed

time to try again. The other aspirant is Fred G. Reichenbacher, of Honesdale, who said he will run on a wet Republican platform.

Many Contests

Every seat in the lower branch of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives and half the places in the senate will be at stake next year. These and innumerable minor contests in the various political divisions bid fair to make 1932 a year of unparalleled political interest and significance.

The preliminary machinery will start moving officially on January 27, the date fixed for procuring signatures for nominations on petitions to be filed with the secretary of the commonwealth. The primary is scheduled for April 26, and the general election for November 8.

Aside from the stage center claimed nationally in a presidential year, Pennsylvania itself promises spectacular contests of its own. Interest has been dimmed only by Philadelphia's intensive but futile battle to get the Republican national convention, an honor which went to Chicago.

The Keystone state will elect a United States senator, a state treasurer and an auditor general. Fence building for all three campaigns has been subtly in progress for many weeks, with most of the candidates still a matter of conjecture.

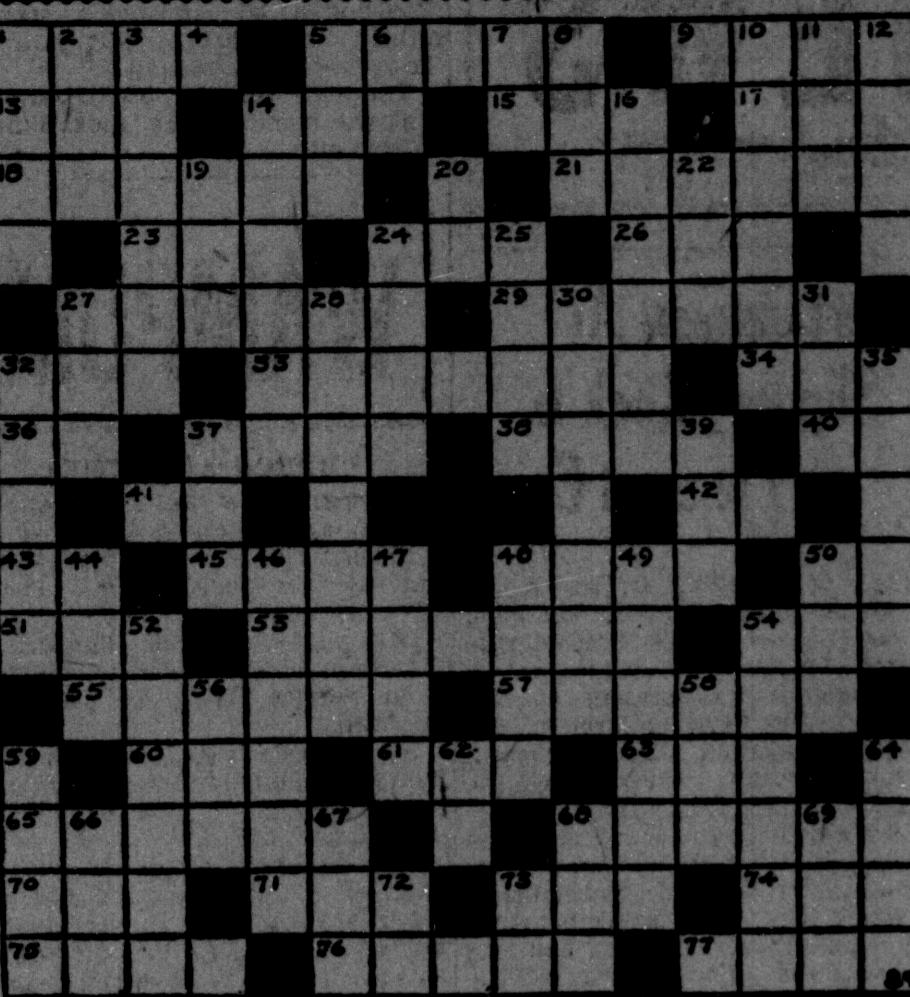
Counties and districts within the state will have hot political struggles all their own. Delegates to the national conventions of the two major parties will be on the spring primary ballots for their share of attention, and vying with them for interest will be contests for congressional nominations.

Sectional Battle

One sectional fight which will be watched from all parts of the state will be waged in the 15th Congressional District, where two candidates already have announced they will oppose Louis T. McFadden, Republican representative who has been declared "politically dead" in Washington for his utterances against President Hoover.

Mrs. Cornelia Bryce Pinchot, who lost to McFadden previously, has decided that April is an opportune

News Daily Cross Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Cavity
5 Morning prayer
9 Down with
12 Form of "to be"
14 Condiment made from bean
15 A number
17 Short song
18 A seed vessel
21 To sift
23 Sponer than
24 A purpose
26 Point
27 Chronicles
29 Mexican cat
32 Terminate
33 Affinity
34 To be drowsy
35 By
37 Doctrines
38 Baubles
40 Parent
41 Spanish for "the"
42 Id est
43 Towards
45 Part of the eye
48 Petition
50 Indef. article
51 Haunch
53 Greetings
55 Skill
56 Splendor
57 Kind of type
60 A poet
61 Armed conflict
62 Acriform fluid
65 Titled
68 A tree
70 To lengthen
71 Witty saying
73 Male adult
74 Before time
75 Measure
76 The whole
77 Inquires

DOWN

1 Hearty
2 Mineral
3 Motto
5 Man's name
6 Yes
7 That thing
8 Modern
10 Candy
11 Commotion
12 Unites with thread
14 Daubs
16 Four score and ten
19 Vessel for ashes
20 Jumbled type
22 Nothing
24 Vipers
25 Open for debate
27 Insect
28 Composed of thin plates
30 Game
31 Child's plaything
32 Ground

35 Make afraid
37 Ailing
39 Perch
41 Lubricant
45 Respect
47 Killed
48 House
49 Figure with equal angles
50 Part of circle
52 Doll
54 Passages
56 Soak
58 Lift up
59 Forepart of vessel
61 Since
62 Short for Isaac
64 Metal bearing rocks
66 Small speck
68 Noah's vessel
71 Towards
72 Preposition
73 Mother

Answer to Previous Puzzle

REVEL ASK LADEN
AM GIN P HER DO
PILOT SUM AMBER
IRE HEINOUS ANT
D DREAM DREAR H
AGE RIPEN MET
NEEDS ASS ONSET
IS RAIN TARE NO
POSED SAY ESEN
PUS D S P TNT
G ISLED REDYE M
RAT ALICATA ERA
ALERT ALI MORON
SO OCCLUSION TO
PERCH SEE NEVER

Balloons Travel At Great Speed

Toy Balloons Released At Wilkes-Barre, Picked Up In Nova Scotia

(International News Service)

WILKES-BARRE, Dec. 26.—Can a toy balloon, even if it is driven by a stiff "northeaster" travel 290 miles in less than an hour and a half?

It would seem that it is possible unless figures lie. The Wyoming Valley Chamber of Commerce released 5000 of the balloons at the local airport and an hour and 25 minutes later one of them was picked up

near Gloucester, Mass. Chamber of officials were so informed in a message from Gloucester.

Two balloons also were found by fisherman near Nova Scotia. The Chamber was to award a prize to the finder of the balloon floating the farthest from the airport here.

CLAMS ATHLETICS NEEDED IN SCHOOLS

LEBANON, Pa., Dec. 26.—"A school that excludes physical education from its curriculum is misfit in modern education," the Rev. Cleitus J. Helfrich, principal of St. Mary's Catholic high school, told the Lions Club here.

He urged the furtherance of athletics in schools as a character builder. He added that while the athletic program should be made secondary, it is nevertheless a vital necessity.

P. H. C. Members Enjoy Holiday Party Program

Christmas Party Takes Place At Circle Chamber—Many Present

The annual Christmas party held by New Castle Circle No. 5, Protective Home Circle, on Wednesday night was truly the banner event of its kind ever held by the local order. In one of the rooms of the circle chamber stood a large tree, beautiful in decoration of yuletide dress and aglow with lights presented picture long to be remembered by over 300 children and their parents, present.

Following a brief business session Guardian Helen Ray presided and she with her splendid social committee were certainly entitled to the compliments paid them for the excellent program presented.

One of the finest junior choruses in the city is that of the First Baptist church Sunday school which with its leader, a finished musician, Miss Elizabeth Owens, daughter of John W. Owens, church chorister, opened the program with a number of beautiful selections. Members of the chorus include Dorothy Albion, May Smith, Thelma Morgan, Helen Davis, Ruth Simons, Genevieve McCalmon, Shires, Dorothy Cooper, Anna McCollums, Geraldine Lever. It is a matter of regret that owing to the lengthy program each young artist cannot receive special mention, as every number was excellently rendered.

Among the numbers so well presented was a wee might of a baby doll. Just seven years old, Betty Jane Cope whose readings would make some older elocutionists sit up and take notice and then as a contortionist little Dorothy Truby has few equals. The medley by Oliver McConahey, master of the banjo, and Henry Rettier with his harmonica scored a big hit and the following numbers were all repaid with hearty applause.

Sonny Truby, song. By By Blues. Dorothy Truby—song and dance. Leana Morgan, tap dance and piano solo.

Vance Dufford, violin solo.

Minnie Shook, Ada Shook and Ruth Hughes, song. You Call It Madness But I Call It Love.

Ethel Cowles, reading.

Billie Stevenson, Reading.

J. Knoblock, reading.

Delores Knoblock, song. Jingle Bells.

Arthur Cowles, reading.

Katherine Hoover and Eloise Hoover, piano duet.

Arthur Mielke, reading.

Dolly Mielke, reading.

Audrey Young, piano solo.

Bobby Jaxthelmer, reading.

Betty Jane Cope, reading.

Clara Bell, song.

Oliver McConahey, banjo solo.

George Calhoun, song.

Henry Rettier, mouth organ.

Eugene McConahey, dance.

Bobby Mulcahey, reading.

Gwendolyn McKissick, reading.

Closing the program, the annual treat was in order and here foxy old Santa was in the flesh. Past President David Tucker, who played well the part, kept the kiddies in an uproar.

Guardian Helen Ray called her social committee and paid them a pretty tribute for their help in social events. Santa in behalf of Mrs. Ray presented the ladies with pretty reminders of the season.

The junior circle will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, December 30, and on Wednesday evening, January 6, 1932, the circle will hold a tureen dinner at 6:30 o'clock.

LILLIE B. JONES, secretary.

Explanation of the deficit: Too many still untaxed and too many untaxed stills.

Commission To Meet Here Monday

Five "Trucking" Hearings Will Be Heard In City Hall

Public Service commission has scheduled another session in the New Castle council chamber for the consideration of additional applications for the privilege of hauling freight by motor truck within the city. The session will be held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock and Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Several weeks ago a session was held at which time about a dozen applications were under consideration.

On Monday afternoon the two cases scheduled are the applications of Joseph J. Arenth, doing business as the Merchant's Delivery Service and John A. Jones, doing business as the John A. Jones Transfer.

There are three applications listed for the Tuesday morning meeting.

The applicants are Roy A. Long, Charles DeCarbo and P. H. Scanlon.

NEW GALILEE

The New Galilee Public School closed Wednesday afternoon, each room presenting a nice program. The teachers received a number of gifts from the children, and the teachers gave the children a treat. School resumes January 4.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jenkins and son Harold, were New Castle callers on Tuesday.

Miss Louise Moore, a student at Slippery Rock State Teachers' College, has arrived home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Welsh spent Christmas day with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Welsh of Koppel.

Mrs. Mary Wenneil has returned from after a few days visit with relatives in Sharon, Pa.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Dean are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of the former's sister at New Bedford, Pa.

Harold and Nile Duvall of Canfield, Ohio, were callers in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lindsey were Beaver Valley visitors Wednesday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Shusters mother, Mrs. McMillen continues quite ill.

Donald Tanner will spend the next few days with Howard, and Nile Duvall, at their home at Columbiana, Ohio.

Miss Helen and Mildred Garvin, were Beaver Falls visitors Thursday.

Card of Thanks

I wish to sincerely thank my many friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of my beloved husband; also thanks for floral offerings.

Jesus called our dear departed to His heavenly home above.

Where there is no pair not sorrow All is joy and peace and love; Help me to live just right That I may be ready to obey thy summons, let it be morning, noon or night.

Adv't* DORA M. JORDAN.

GIFT CASES

Genuine sealskin-grain cowhide ladies' fitted case, double locks, silk moleskin lining and new type compound leather.

The most practical of gifts.

Kirk Hutton & Co.

24 E. Wash. St. Phone 13.

Delinquent Tax Issue Probed In Pittsburgh, Pa.

City Controller Directs Investigation Be Made Into Tax Status

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—An investigation of the delinquent tax status of the City treasurer's office, involving millions of dollars in unpaid taxes, is being made by controller under the direction of City Controller James P. Kerr, the controller disclosed here.

Probe of delinquent taxes is a result of an earlier audit of the books of the city treasurer's office which disclosed errors of administration. Unofficial estimates of the sums due from large property owners range as high as five million dollars.

The investigation was necessary, officials said, because the city frequently has to bid in properties in order to protect the municipality in collection of taxes at sheriff's sales. The search is expected to result in a system whereby the city will gain a firmer hold on the delinquent tax situation, particularly as regards collections.

SCRANTON'S TRAFFIC SYSTEM RECOMMENDED

ELLWOOD CITY NEWS

ADVERTISING COPY To Appear In The News May Be Left With The Ellwood City News Co.

TO GIVE NEWS ITEMS For These Columns Call Fred Robuck, Phone 1009

Holiday Programs In Ellwood Churches

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26—Most of the churches of Ellwood City will continue to have Christmas programs for their Sunday services. Some will be in charge of the Young People of the church and others in charge of the pastor.

The program of worship in the Ellwood City churches on Sunday is announced as follows:

First Presbyterian
Located on the corner of Fourth street and Spring avenue. Church school will begin at 9:45 a. m. with David W. Stinson, superintendent in charge; morning worship at 11 o'clock with a story by the pastor on "Johnnie Appleseed" and a sermon, "God's New Year". The vesper services will begin at 5 p. m., which will include a service of Christmas music and message. There will be several organ numbers, and a solo by Mrs. Edward Mackasek. The sermon theme will be "Christmas Eternal." A meeting of the Pioneers will take place at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Arthur M. Stevenson, pastor.

North Sewickley Presbyterian
Morning worship will begin at 10 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor. Sunday school will be held at 11 o'clock with L. N. Pflough, superintendent in charge. Joe Clark, assistant, A Young People's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Robert Bell, pastor.

Knox Presbyterian
Sunday school will begin at 10 a. m. with John E. Nagel superintendent and Richard Stratton, assistant in charge. Morning worship at 11:15 with a sermon by the pastor. A Christmas entertainment will take place at 8 p. m.

Rev. Robert Bell, pastor.

Providence Baptist
Located in North Sewickley. Bible school will begin at 10 a. m. with C. E. Sankey, superintendent in charge. Morning worship at 11 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor on "Travel Stains". Evening services will begin at 7:45 with a sermon by the pastor on "What About the Past?". Mr. Paul Nye, one of the members of the church and a student in Richmond University will assist in the services.

Church Of God
Located on North street and Orchard avenue. Church school will begin at 9:45 and morning worship at 11 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor on "A Balance of Power". The Y. P. C. T. Society will meet at 6:30 with Miss Loretta King in charge. Evangelistic services will take place at 7:45 with a sermon by the pastor on "Spiritual New Year's Eve".

Rev. L. E. Slacum, pastor.

Bell Memorial

Located on Line avenue. Sabbath school will begin at 9:45 and morning worship at 11 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor on "The Fundamental Teaching of the Gospel". The Christian Endeavor will meet at 7 o'clock and evening worship will charge.

Rev. J. A. King, pastor.

Wentzburg U. P.
Sunday school will begin at 10 o'clock and morning worship at 11 with a sermon by the pastor on "The New Year's Command". The Intermediate and Young People's Society will meet at four o'clock. There will be no evening services. Rev. J. E. Caughey, pastor.

First Baptist

Located on the corner of Third street and Fountain avenue. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 and morning worship at 10:45 with Rev. Sumner in charge. DeWitt Saver supervises the Sunday school. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at seven o'clock and Rev. Sumner will also take charge of the evening service at 7:45.

Trinity Lutheran

Located on the corner of Second street and Spring avenue. Sunday school at 9:30, with A. J. Dambach, superintendent in charge. Morning worship at 10:45 with a sermon by the pastor on "The Departing Servant". There will be no evening services. Rev. C. F. Christiansen, pastor.

Christian Church

Located on the corner of Fourth street and Wayne avenue. Sunday school at 9:40, with W. F. Aiken, superintendent in charge. At 11 o'clock the pastor will preach a sermon on "The Best Gift". The young people, the intermediates and the Junior Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30. The pastor will preach a sermon on "The Power of the Gospel" at 7:30.

Emmanuel Reformed

Located on the corner of Eighth street and Crescent avenue. Sunday school will begin at 10 and morning worship at 11 o'clock, with a sermon by the pastor on a subject to be announced at the time of delivery. The Christian Endeavor will meet at seven o'clock and a Christmas program will be given at 7:45. Rev. H. D. Maxwell, pastor.

Slippery Rock Presbyterian

Sunday school will begin at 10 and morning worship at 11 o'clock, with a children's sermon by the pastor on "The Selfish Lake", and adult sermon, "The Unnoticed Christ". There will be no evening services. Rev. Paul H. Elliott, pastor.

M. E. Church
Located on the corner of Fifth street and Crescent avenue. Church school will begin at 9:45 with Lowell W. Monroe, superintendent, in charge. Morning worship at 11 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor on "A New Year for the Old". The

Junior and Senior Epworth League will meet at seven o'clock and evening worship will take place at 7:45, with a sermon by the pastor on "The Attention of the Soul". Rev. Robert H. Little, pastor.

U. P. Church
Located on the corner of Sixth street and Crescent avenue. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 and morning worship at 11 o'clock, with a sermon by the pastor on "A Divine Promise". The Christian Endeavor will meet at seven o'clock. A Christmas cantata will be given in the church at 7:45. Also the white gift offering will be received. Rev. W. E. Minster, pastor.

Entertainment
At Park Gate

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26—A large audience filled the Park Gate Baptist church last evening when they presented their Christmas entertainment, the program of which follows:

Recitations—Irene McMullen, Pauline Tyler, Helen Katuba, Dorothy Slevitz, Betty Slimmer, Betty Ross, Loretta and Lucretia Remler, Marie Minete, Junior Ross, Teddy Majors, Irene Shoaf, Delphine Main, Ruthie Householder, Betty Main and Richard Slimmer.

Exercise, We're Only Boys—Boys' Class

Recitations—Faye Householder and Rose Sanki

Duet—Ruth and Faye Householder

Recitation—Margaret Hulic

Selection by choir

Recitation—Dorothy Welch

Duet—Mrs. Householder and Mrs. Lehman

Exercise, We Belong to Jesus Girls

Recitations—Evelyn Johnson, Jas. McCune, Robert Soczay, Catherine Hulic, Mary Sanki, Billie Stewks

Solo—Irene McMullen

Recitations—John Wright, Woodrow Main, Clark McLaughlin, Joe Gasper, Viola Tritt

Song, When I Take My Vacation in Heaven—Sun Beam Class

Recitations—Goldie Main

Exercise—Seven Girls

Reading, The Christ Child—Mrs. John Wright

Remarks—Rev. Stanley Dolaway

Paegeant, The Coming of our King Zacharias—Curtis Main

Elizabeth—Virginia Linville

Angela—Sara Main

Mary—Mollie Householder

Joseph—Vincent Householder

Ima Keeper—Chester Roads

Neighbors of Zacharias—Mary Wiggle, Augustine Ross

Shepherds—Albert Stevens, Harvey Slevitz, Donald Greenam

Worshippers—Catherine Main, Mary Riggie, Virginia Linville

Angela—Levine Lehman, Anna McMullen

King Herod—Robert Arkwright

Herald—Bobby Arkwright

Pages—Alfred Minete, Albert Stevens

Court Maidens—Dorothy Welch

Jessie Greenam, Evelyn Mapors

Simeon—Albert Stevens

Wise Men—Paul Stevens, Owen Glover, Ray Dallenbach

Pianist—Mildred Welch

—

Family Entertained

At Dinner Event

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weigle of Line avenue delightedly entertained the members of their family at a fine Christmas dinner yesterday. The home presented a most pleasing sight in its seasonal tones and the table appointments brought many exclamations of appreciation. The center-piece was a miniature Santa Claus and Christmas tree.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. D. R. McKee of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weigle and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McMullen and sons, Stanley and Edward, and the host and hostess and son, Billy. The after-dinner hours were enjoyed in a social manner.

Ellwood City

Youth Injured

Charles Balmer, aged 17, of Ellwood City, sustained lacerations of the scalp and other injuries of a minor character early Christmas morning when at the Willow Grove bridge on the Mt. Jackson road his car skidded off the road because of the fact that his right back tire was flat. He was removed to the Jameson Memorial hospital, where his injuries were attended to. He was able to return to his home later in the day.

Orange Ladies

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26.—The Ladies of the Loyal Orange Lodge held their regular semi-monthly meeting Christmas evening in the Schweiger Hall on Sixth street. The usual business meeting was held at which the election of officers was the feature. Routine matters were also disposed of at the time. Their officers will be installed in their first meeting in January, by Mrs. Henry Davis of New Castle. A tureen supper will be held at the time.

Hospital Notes

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26—Discharged: James Slack of Harmony.

Chooses to Ruin



Entertainment At Slippery Rock Is Pleasant Event

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26—A fine Christmas entertainment was held in the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church Christmas evening. A splendid audience was present at this special event. The children of the church presented their program first, which was followed by the adult, and was in the form of a pageant. Mrs. Warren Wilson and Miss Eleanor Wilson were in charge. The pageant was entitled "Bethlehem", in which Mrs. Will 'n Weingartner and Mrs. Wilbur Barnett had the leading roles. The program of the evening included some fine Christmas songs.

Fire Damage At Ellwood Store

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26.—A fire of undetermined origin occurred in the Simons Clothes shop about 12:45 Christmas morning. The shop is located in a big two-story brick building.

Firemen and police are today investigating the fire which broke out on the first floor of the building.

It was well under way before the alarm was sounded and the fire department responded. Smoke kept pouring out of the building in large volumes for some time and did much damage to the stock. Investigators are baffled as to the cause of the fire. The building and stock are covered by insurance. No estimate of the loss was given by Fire Chief H. T. Plant, who at present is conducting an investigation.

Church Is Crowded For Christmas Event

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 26.—The Trinity Lutheran church was crowded Christmas evening as most of the members turned out for a most interesting program presented by the church. Many children and adults participated in the event. The program carried out was as follows:

Processional hymn.

Opening Versicles.

Scripture reading—Hebrews.

Prayer.

Orchestra.

Recitations—"Our Welcome".

Mariann Hollerman. "Once Again, O Blessed Time"—Harry Ziegler.

"Silent Night, Holy Night"—Violin, Arthur Hoeastine; solo, Mrs. A. Klienbien.

Recitations—"Come Hither, Ye Children"—Helen Fleischer; "The Angels' Song"—Margaret Duffy; "What Makes Christmas"—Ruth Kiesling.

Hymn—No. 35—"The First Noel".

Recitations—"My Room In the Inn"—Virginia Guildbrandson; "The Christmas Tree"—Stephen Schuster.

The Primary Department.

Motion Song—the entire primary.

Exercise—Dorothy Wallace, Dorothy Dietrick, Margie Lutz and Patty Hayden.

"Christmas"—Robert Ross.

"Our Gifts"—Betty Garmon.

Exercise—"Long Ago at Christmas"—Mrs. Ferd Bingle's class.

Recitation—Noema Jean Howells.

Anthem—"In Excelsis Gloria".

Junior choir.

Recitations—"A King of the World"—Gertrude Christiansen.

"Epiphany"—Hilda Zikem.

Hymn.

Announcements.

Offering, for Zelienople Orphans home.

Presentation of Honor Roll awards.

Closing Versicles.

Benediction.

Recessional hymn.



This smart little evening wrap is made of transparent velvet in what is known as "coquette" red, bordered with Russian sable dyed kolinsky. With it is worn an evening gown of white net with pastel applied flowers. Marian Marsh, screen player, is the model.

where they were given their places at a large table centered with a miniature tree and lighted tapers added to the beauty of the scene. The hostess was assisted in serving a delicious repast by Mrs. Thressa Tritt.

The club will meet again January 4 at the home of Mrs. Alex Bunney in this city.

Football Indicted Over Record List of Deaths

* * * * *

Forty-three Fatalities On the Gridiron in 1931 Is Highest Ever—Most Were in High School and Sand-lot Teams—Rules Change Suggested.

* * * * *

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26—Judge Elder W. Marshall in common pleas court today ordered payment of \$410,000 made to the Poole Engineering and Machine Company, of Baltimore, the balance due on its \$1,100,000 voting machine contract with Allegheny county.

Payment was ordered made by Judge Marshall on condition that the Poole Company install four minor protection devices on the machines as ordered by the secretary of the Commonwealth. The company was directed to post \$425,000 bond to guarantee installation.

County commissioners were enjoined from making payment of the balance due the vote machine company because of a suit filed by the League of Women Voters who claimed the machines were not fraud-proof.</p



WEIGHING IN—This isn't a parade—just jockeys participating in first race at Oriental Park, Havana, Cuba, weighing in.

SPORTS



GETTING IN TRIM!—Scrambling up snow-clad sides of Bear mountain, these skaters train for Olympic winter games at Lake Placid, N. Y.

BY RUBE GOLDBERG

Football Coaches And Officials To Meet In New York

Annual Convention Of Football Moguls To Discuss Fatality List

Forty-Three Victims Of Grid Sport—Changes In Rules May Come

By COPELAND C. BURG
International News Service Sports Writer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Whether those scores of American boys, who died on football's battlefield in 1931, gave up their lives vainly, will be determined in a series of meetings in New York tomorrow.

They may be remembered this week by football coaches and officials gathered here in annual convention as an inspiration for a determined stand for changes in the rules in an attempt to reduce gridiron accidents.

Meetings of the various organizations this year undoubtedly will have a deeper significance than ever before and it seemed likely at least one or two highly constructive changes would be recommended in the rules and regulations.

43 Are Killed.

A total of 43 deaths marked the 1931 season. The greatest total previously in a season was 24.

At the meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic association on Wednesday and Thursday recommendations were looked for to the rules committee, which will meet early next year.

It was learned today one coach will suggest that a player, obviously injured and not in proper shape to continue, may be ordered off the field by officials and not kept in the lineup until a substitute is sent in by the coach. Elimination of the kickoff and the flying wedge, held responsible for many deaths this season, will also be widely discussed with a possible recommendation to the rules committee.

The Eastern Association of Football Officials will open the week's gatherings on Sunday. Their sessions will continue on Monday and the annual meeting of the Football Coaches association is scheduled for Tuesday. The National Collegiate Athletic association sessions in mid-week will probably be followed by conferences of college officials and coaches with announcements shortly forthcoming on new mentors.

Coaches To Talk.

At the afternoon session of the coaches association short talks will be made by leading coaches "Hunk" Anderson, Notre Dame, will speak on line play; Gus Durals, Detroit, on forward pass technique; Herb McCracken, Lafayette, on forward pass defense, and Wallace Wade, Duke, on blocking and tackling. Discussion of rules changes will be followed by election of a president to succeed "Chick" Mehan, the former New York university coach, who will be at Manhattan college, New York, next season.

Special reports will be made to the coaches association, which will pass them on to the N. C. A. A. Lou Little, Columbia mentor, will report on the time spent in football compared to that in other extra-curricular activities.

District reports to the N. C. A. A. will be made by Summer Dole, Connecticut Aggies; Bob Higgins, Penn State; Charlie Bachman, Florida; Sam Williamson, Ohio State; H. W. Hargiss, Kansas; Lynn Waldorf, Oklahoma; A. & M. Armstrong, Utah, and Paul Schissler, Oregon Aggies.

Garden To Clear Up Status About Walker-Schmeling

Three-Day Rest For Pitt Floor Team As They Travel Westward

Oak A. C. Trims Neshannock Five

FIGHT RESULTS

Three Games In Church League

OPERA FOR SOUTH AFRICA

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

SPYING ON SPORTS

By WILLIAM RITT

Central Press Sports Editor

Bert Robinson, ex-manager of that strange, irrepressible collection of athletes known as the Brooklyn Dodgers, is a victim of la grippe after all.

That is, while the depression had nothing to do with Robbie getting that trap door, it seems destined to prevent Uncle Wilbert from immediately coming back up into the big leagues, even by the rear stairs.

Surely there is more than one big league club which could drop its current pilot and turn over the reins to your fat friend and not be the worse off for the exchange. Uncle Wilbert Robinson, being a pretty good manager, must want a pretty good retainer and baseball is now cutting salaries, not increasing them.

However, your correspondent could name at least six clubs which would be pretty certain to gain gate receipts next summer if difference the services of Uncle Wilbert would cost them.

There is no chance of Uncle Wilbert managing a major league club next season outside the remote possibility of a change being made in one of the managerial posts.

The White Sox filled their vacancy with Lew Fonseca, the Pirates with George Gibson, all other clubs seem prepared to carry on at least another year with their managers.

So, though it's just too bad because Uncle Wilbert really is a fine fellow and knows lots more baseball than many another pilot, he most probably will have to spend his first summer in 50 years in a grand stand seat instead of down there on the bench.

The passing of Robinson from the National league is the passing of a real landmark. Man and boy, manager and player, he graced the senior major league for 45 years.

That's an awfully long time to be identified with one organization but Robinson seems none the worse for all that wear and tear—and he played in the days when there was plenty of tear to big league baseball.

Maybe after next season or so Robbie will get a chance to manage an American league outfit. He's only 64 years old. He ought to be good for another 45 seasons.

Pitt Panthers In Colorado For Battle Tonight

Three-Day Rest For Pitt Floor Team As They Travel Westward

Oak A. C. Trims Neshannock Five

FIGHT RESULTS

Three Games In Church League

OPERA FOR SOUTH AFRICA

AT PHILADELPHIA—Benny Bass, Philadelphia, former Junior lightweight champion knocked out Prince Saunders, Chicago. (7)

Ralph Lenny, Jersey City lightweight defeated Lew Raymond, Baltimore.

Tony Falco, Philadelphia defeated Harry Brady, Jersey City lightweight.

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

THAT'S LIFE

BETWEEN CHRISTMAS CARDS. WORTHLESS STOCK CERTIFICATES AND OLD SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS. IT'S HARD TO TELL WHETHER ANYBODY IS HOME WHEN YOU COME TO CALL ON THE BUTTS' FAMILY.



Georgia Tech To Play California In Atlanta Today

Golden Bears Of Coast Will Try Hard To Erase 1928 Defeat By Tech

(International News Service) ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 26.—The Golden Bear emerged from his cavern today and growled for revenge on the Yellow Jacket.

And thus was developed an incentive for the gathering of some 20,000 football fans eager to witness today's post-season inter-sectional clash between the University of California and Georgia Tech.

The Bear spread its claws all the more viciously for remembrance of that New Year's day game at Pasadena, Calif., three years ago when the Yellow Jacket stung him with an 8 to 7 defeat.

And, from what observers and the gentlemen along the betting rialto say, the Brekeley boys have a good chance today to taste their revenge and remove the stigma of that defeat.

California, second only to the mighty Southern California on the Pacific coast, has a heavier line and a more versatile backfield. Coach "Navy" Bill Ingram, of the Bears, however, was not at all positive about the outcome and all that Coach Alexander, of Tech, would promise was that his boys will manifest plenty of fight. Both tutors planned to start their regular teams.

California, second only to the mighty Southern California on the Pacific coast, has a heavier line and a more versatile backfield. Coach "Navy" Bill Ingram, of the Bears, however, was not at all positive about the outcome and all that Coach Alexander, of Tech, would promise was that his boys will manifest plenty of fight. Both tutors planned to start their regular teams.

Benny Bass Wins From Saunders In Comeback Battle

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Benny Bass of Philadelphia, former world's junior lightweight champion, moved along today in his comeback campaign. He knocked out Prince Saunders of Chicago in the seventh round in the feature bout of the Arena Christmas card here last night.

A right to the jaw disposed of the Chicago negro, who failed to make a favorable showing at any stage of the battle. Bass, at a disadvantage in reach, was the aggressor throughout and gradually wore down his opponent.

Oak A. C. Trims Neshannock Five

Three Gunmen Are Hunted By Police

Force Pittsburgh Man To Give Up Car, Attempt Robbery, Then Flee

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—State police today were watching for three gunmen who forced Benny Applebaum, 25, of Pittsburgh, from his car at the Pennsylvania-Ohio state line on the Lincoln highway and then left him stranded.

Applebaum reported that the three gunmen forced him to the side of the road. Ordering him to leave his machine, which he was driving from Chicago, they were about to take his money when the approach of another car forced them to flee.

One of the men took Applebaum's car which was later found wrecked near Freedom, Pa. Applebaum made his way to East Liverpool, O., where he was given transportation to Pittsburgh.

More than 300 athletes already have enrolled for the events and this list will be increased before January 21, the closing date of the individual entries. It was revealed today.

Realty Transfers

Wm. J. Vaughn to Walter S. Reynolds, Fifth ward, \$215.

Henry Engs to William Collier, First ward, \$1.

Weighed in the Balance

(International News Service)

CARLSRUHE—An invitation has been received by the Baden state opera to give a series of guest performances next July and August in Carlsruhe, Johanesburg and Durban, South Africa. The program requested includes "Hansel and Gretel," "Tiefland," "Fledermaus" and two each of Wagner's and Mozart's operas.

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz, Monaca, Pa., defeated Jimmy Belmont Braddock, Pa., welterweight, (10).

AT WILMINGTON, Del.—Jimmy Mack, Philadelphia, bantamweight defeated Al Martin, Baltimore (8).

Morris Gross, Philadelphia, lightweight defeated Ray Rooney, Wilkes-Barre (6).

AT BETTLEHEM Pa.—Billy Buck Newark, N. J., middleweight, knocked out Eddie Tracy, Allentown (2).

AT PITTSBURGH—Ted Yarosz

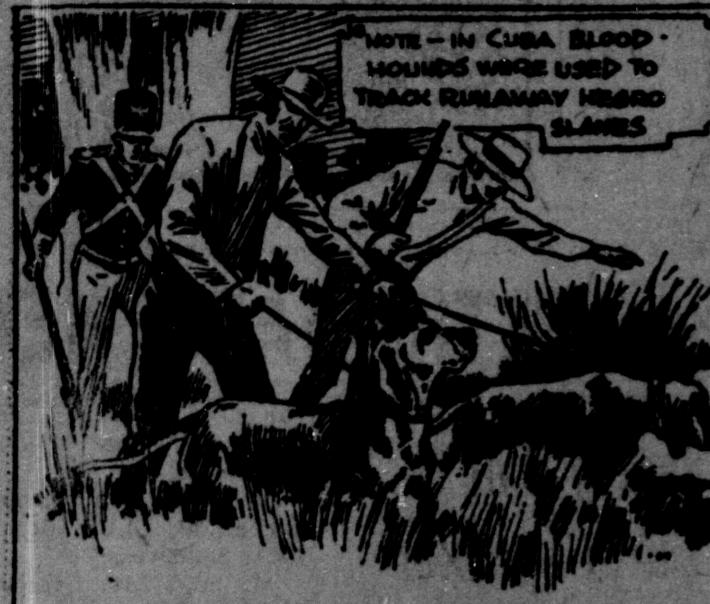
HIGHLIGHTS OF HISTORY

By J. Carroll Mansfield

Vanishing Americans 12.—The Seminoles Surrender



After the capture of Osceola the Seminoles kept on fighting, but were badly beaten by General Zachary Taylor's forces in a great battle on Lake Okeechobee (1838). The remnant of the tribe sought refuge deep in the swamps...

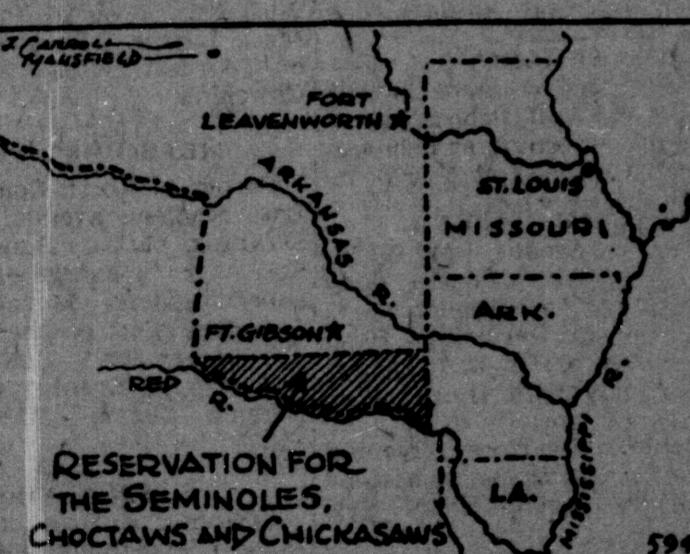


Despite public condemnation an attempt was made to hunt down the fugitives with bloodhounds. Dogs and Spanish trackers were imported from Cuba, but the animals, trained to follow the scent of a Negro, would not pick up that of an Indian.



Finally in 1842, through the skill and tact of General Worth, the Seminole leaders were captured and the rest of the tribe persuaded to surrender.

© 1931, by J. Carroll Mansfield.



The long war had cost the government \$20,000,000 and more than a thousand lives. Most of the Seminoles were removed to a reservation in southern Oklahoma. A few stragglers were left undisturbed in the Everglades of Florida, where their descendants are still found. Next: Black Hawk.

WHEN TO BE NONCHALANT



When you discover why the waiter was so cordial—you tipped him \$10 thinking it was \$1.

Copyright, 1931, by Central Press Association, Inc.

THE GUMPS

HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN—

WHAT A WELCOME THEY GAVE TOM AT THE FACTORY WHEN HE BROKE IN WITH THE GLAD NEWS THAT THE FACTORY ALL BELONGED TO HIM AGAIN—

AND HOW HAPPY TOM WAS WHEN THE MANAGER REPORTED TO HIM THAT THE FACTORY WAS IN WONDERFUL SHAPE—

TOM IS RICH NOW AND CAN SUPPLY HIS LITTLE BRIDE WITH ANYTHING THAT HER HEART DESIRES—

SWEETHEART—I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM MY FACTORY AND IT'S A GOLD MINE—AND MONDAY WE'RE GOING TO TAKE THIS CHECK AND GO ON A SHOPPING TRIP—YOU AND I—

OH, TOM, DEAR—YOU'RE JUST THE MOST WONDERFUL MAN IN THE WORLD—

DARLING—WHEN I HEAR YOU TALK, I FEEL THAT I WAS IN A DREAM—WHEN YOU SAY I CAN BUY ANY AUTOMOBILE IN THE WORLD—HAVE ALL THE FINE CLOTHES I WANT—SELECT THE HOME I'D LIKE TO BUY—HAVE ALL THE SPENDING MONEY I ASK FOR—AND THAT WE CAN TRAVEL WHERE WE PLEASE—IT SEEMS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE—POOR OLD SIMBO—

HE WAS A KIND HEARTED OLD FELLOW—

YES—HE WASN'T A BAD SORT OF AN OLD MAN—

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Copyright, 1931, by The Chicago Tribune

DUMB DORA



© 1931, Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved

FEET FIRST



© 1931, Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved



© 1931, Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved



© 1931, Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved

BY PAUL FUNG

OLIVER'S ADVENTURES

IT WAS, IT HAD BEEN ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE RANGERS TO FOLLOW THE FUR ROACHER'S DIM TRACKS—BUT NOW THE SNOW HAD COMPLETELY OBLITERATED ALL SIGNS—

WE'VE GOT TO GIVE IT UP, SON—THE VARMINT'S GOT AWAY AGAIN! THERE ARE NO MORE TRACKS TO FOLLOW!

IT'LL SOON BE GETTIN' DARK, TOO, SO WE MIGHT AS WELL SCRAPE AWAY A PATCH OF SNOW FOR OUR CAMP FOR THE NIGHT—

I HOPE WE DON'T GET SNOWED IN HERE FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS—HEY, COOK, HAND ME ANOTHER SLICE OF THAT BOILED BEAR'S MEAT!

WHAT THE HARRY! THERE GOES FIRE, GRUB AND ALL. DOWN INTO THE GROUND, OUT OF SIGHT!

GOOD GOSH, WHAT'S HAPPENED?

A TERRIFYING OCCURRENCE



BY GUS MAGER

BIG SISTER



BY LES FORGRAVE

MUGGS McGINNIS



BY WALLY BISHOP

BRINGING UP FATHER



BY GEORGE McMANUS

When you discover why the waiter was so cordial—you tipped him \$10 thinking it was \$1.

Copyright, 1931, by Central Press Association, Inc.

© 1931, Int'l Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved

1226

SHOP THROUGH THE CLASSIFIED

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Ten cents per line per each insertion. Count six average words to the line. No advertisement accepted for less than ten cents. Advertisements less by contract are for cash only. Contract rates upon request.

The News does not knowingly accept fraudulent or misleading advertisements. The News reserves the right to edit or reject any copy presented.

NOTICE

Where classified advertisement is run more than one time we will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion.

WHERE TO LEAVE YOUR WANT ADS

Any of the following NEWS agents are authorized to accept Want Ads for publication in the NEWS. If you live on the South Side go to

S. W. Lewis, 218 East Long Ave.
Mahoningtown residents take ads to

Thos. W. Solomon, Liberty St.
If you live in Ellwood City, give them to

Ellwood City News Co., Lawrence Avenue

Wampum residents may leave ads with

C. L. REPMAN

The above agents will be glad to accept your ads and if you live close to the NEWS office, bring your ads direct to the

WANT AD STORE

29 North Mercer Street

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost & Found

LOST—Last night in the Victor Theatre a billfold containing a sum of money. Reward. Phone 1951-W. 11*-1

LOST—Thursday, diamond ring. Valued highly as keepsake. Return to News. 7412*-1

LOST—Lady's brown Cordova bag containing money and other articles. Finger leaves at Murphy's Store candy counter. Reward. 11*-1

LOST—A ring of keys. Will finder please call 2025-J. 11*-1

LOST—White and brown Fox Terrier. Answers name Rip. Has harness, collar with tag 5758. Reward. Call Sowerby, 1933-J. 11*-1

LOST—Wrist watch, oblong case, with movement, a chip diamonds, 4 settings. If found call 5062-W. 732*-1

Personals

SAVE your evergreen's mulch with upland soil, five bushels \$1, thirty bushels \$4. Street, Wilmington Rd. Phone 790-R. 7412*-4

TYPEWRITERS all makes sold. Rented required. We repair all makes of typewriters for prompt service. Call 4921 Service Typewriter Exchange. 12 East Street. 11*-4

A GUARANTEED cure for eczema. 465 E. Washington St. 4091-7. 7412*-4

TWO RELIABLE friends—Service, Quality—both are here in developing and printing. Camera Shop, 22 N. Mercer. 7015-4

Wanted

WANTED—Raw furs, for highest prices bring to 461/2 E. Wash. St. days and evenings. W. H. Thompson. 732*-4A

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale

XMAS SPECIALS

Low price. Easy terms. Buick Sedan \$225.00. Ford Sedan \$155.00. Chevy Landau Sedan \$35.00. Chrysler Coach \$85.00. Peerless Limousine \$175.00. Hudson Coach \$125.00. Chandler Coupe \$165.00.

Come in early or call for demonstration.

THE CHAMBERS MOTOR CO.
825 CROTON AVE.
PHONE 5130 11*-5

AUTOMOBILES

Accessories, Tires, Parts

NOW is the time to change to winter oil and winter grease. Drive in with summer ease. For our customers come and call us. We will get your car and deliver it back to you all ready for the winter. Toddy's Service Station. 5821-6

Auto Painting and Repairs

WHEELS for Model A Ford on hand at all times. Wire, wood and disc wheels. Kalaizinen's Collision Service, 211 Wood road. 714*-8

AUTO and truck springs repaired, re-arched. Prompt expert service. New Castle Spring Works, 227 Croton Ave. 7015*-8

Wanted—Automobiles

AUTO OWNERS Notice. I would consider paying balance on financed car and give you a good sedan in exchange. Address Box 550 car buyers. Reliable Credit Corp. 326 Greer Blvd. 732*-21

BUSINESS SERVICE

Miscellaneous Service

ELECTRICAL repaired, refinished, cabinet maker. Joe. Eve. Cor. Liberty and Mahoning Ave. Phone 4522-J. 532*-10

SAVE money on electric fixtures, wiring and supplies! J. P. Merrills, 1228 S. Mill St. Phone 2037. 53125-10

RUBBER STAMPS made in our store—prompt service. Castle Stationery Co., 24 N. Mercer. Phone 2355. 53125-10

FURNITURE

repaired, refinished, cabinet maker. Joe. Eve. Cor. Liberty and Mahoning Ave. Phone 4522-J. 532*-10

AWNINGS—Your awnings taken down and stored for winter. Phone 5100-J. W. G. Ayres. 53125-10

Builders' Supplies

BLOCK and sand milk houses, garages, concreting. Est. N. C. Block Co., Willow Grove, 8006-R. 4161-R. 532*-10

Woman's Realm

PEARL SHOPPER—Realistic and Eugene waves \$8; finger waves 50c. Special waves \$4 to \$3. Phone 1588. 7015*-12

SPECIAL

\$8.50 permanent. \$4.50 others \$4.45. Marcel, finger wave 50c. La France Beauty Shoppe. Phone 5283-12

XMAS gift suggestion. Maytag cast aluminum tub washer \$45, \$69 and \$89. Maytag Sales Inc., 123 E. North St., New Castle, Pa. Phone 84. 53125-12

Laundries—Dry Cleaners

SAM YEE—Hand laundry, best work in town. 127 East North St. to Temple Bldg. 7418-12A

Moving, Hauling, Storage

MOVING and general hauling, best price, fast or long distance. Best Pittsburgh coal. Phone 5649. 7015*-13

Repairing

USED tires bought & sold. Battery charging 75c, car greasing 95c. Gately, Moravia & Long. 7016*-30

BRENNEMAN'S

high grade goods, harness, tops, dog collars, luggage and leather goods, canvas and truck covers. 221 Croton Ave. Phone 1449. 532*-30

Business and Office Furniture

TYPEWRITERS for Christmas gifts. Low price. 100% Christmas. Portia Henneman, Underwear, Royal Corsets and others \$10 up. Guaranteed. Terms \$1.00 per week. Durkin's Typewriter Store, 131 Water Street. Phone 8151. 54117-32

Male

VAN HORN'S family barber shop. All hair cuts \$5. Ladies' wind blow a specialty. Qual. service. Cor. East St. 7448-15

SECURITY

salesman—New corporation operating. Thoroughly experienced salesman, experienced selling legitimate speculation, drawing account and liberal commission if qualifications justify. State and references. Tioga Natural Gas Corporation, 3 Park Road, New York. 11*-16

Down Go Prices

1929 Ford sport coupe, an exceptional car; owned by a lady.

1930 Chevy coupe, good appearance, guaranteed mechanically.

1929 Chevy, 4 door sedan, very low mileage; tires & paint like new.

1930 Ford coach. Compare tbs car and price with any in town.

MCCOY MOTOR CAR CO.
217 N. MILL ST.
PHONE 5750 11*-5

ETTA KETT

WELL, I'VE MADE UP MY MIND TO MARRY ETTA — But she swears she won't have me on a bet— I know—I'll pretend I'm Ellis—

And I want her to go for a ride.

There's no place like your own home. Turn to the Real Estate For Sale column for bargains in good homes.

BAILEY AUTO SUPPLY
Ring & pinion gears
Flywheel covers
Grey Rock brake lining
Ignition parts for all cars
Valves for all cars

73-39 S. JEFFERSON ST. 11*-6

AUTO INSURANCE—Best protection—low cost—three-payment. Walter McGee, 2275; Clare Alborn 5043-R21; W. W. Sniff, 5518-R. 532*-5

ALCOHOL 158 proof—50c gallon. Chas. E. Cox Service Station, Cor. Grant & State Sts. 6817-5

USED cars. 1930 Chrysler sedan; 1929 Nash coupe. Gunton Motors Co., 360 Neshannock Ave. 7213-5

RADIATOR alcohol, 15c gallon. Your cars. Spencer's, 15c. Mercer St. Bell 739. 532*-5

EMPLOYMENT

Situations Wanted

WANTED—Job on dairy farm by all round experience man. Moderate wages expected. Box 553, care News. 7412*-20

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION, 6th Fl., Union Trust Bldg. 14 N. Mercer St., New Castle, 1357-8

LOANS—\$25.00 and up. Ohio Finance Co., 450 First Nat'l Bk. Bldg. Ent. 14 N. Mercer St. Ph. 5870. 11*-21

SMALL store room, located at 106 1/2 W. Wash. St., suitable for small business. Phone 637. Ivor V. Davis. 7213-21

NEED money? Use your automobile title or owner's card, unpaid balance financed. You drive the car. Reliable Credit Corp. 326 Greer Blvd. 53125-21

PAYMENTS REDUCED! RATES REDUCED!

OUR RATE on All Loans Over \$100 Is Reduced Almost One Third

FROM 1 DAY TO 30 MONTHS TO PAY

1 month plus int. repays \$1.60
2 month plus int. repays \$1.90
3 month plus int. repays \$2.20
4 month plus int. repays \$2.50
5 month plus int. repays \$2.80
6 month plus int. repays \$3.10
8 month plus int. repays \$3.80
9 month plus int. repays \$4.20
10 month plus int. repays \$4.60
12 month plus int. repays \$5.20
14 month plus int. repays \$5.80
16 month plus int. repays \$6.40
18 month plus int. repays \$7.00
20 month plus int. repays \$7.60
24 month plus int. repays \$8.80
28 month plus int. repays \$9.60
30 month plus int. repays \$10.40

WANTED—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

THREE housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, elect. washer, Kelvinator, priv. ent. inc. 1214 Highland Ave. 64115-43

Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

APARTMENT—North hill, 4 cozy rooms, 3rd floor, large porch, private entrance, heat, water, gas, elect. garage, and all for \$22 mo. 1444-W. 7015-42

THREE housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, elect. washer, Kelvinator, priv. ent. inc. 1214 Highland Ave. 64115-43

Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

APARTMENT—North hill, 4 cozy rooms, 3rd floor, large porch, private entrance, heat, water, gas, elect. garage, and all for \$22 mo. 1444-W. 7015-42

THREE housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, elect. washer, Kelvinator, priv. ent. inc. 1214 Highland Ave. 64115-43

Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

APARTMENT—North hill, 4 cozy rooms, 3rd floor, large porch, private entrance, heat, water, gas, elect. garage, and all for \$22 mo. 1444-W. 7015-42

THREE housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, elect. washer, Kelvinator, priv. ent. inc. 1214 Highland Ave. 64115-43

Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

APARTMENT—North hill, 4 cozy rooms, 3rd floor, large porch, private entrance, heat, water, gas, elect. garage, and all for \$22 mo. 1444-W. 7015-42

THREE housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, elect. washer, Kelvinator, priv. ent. inc. 1214 Highland Ave. 64115-43

Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—NICE store room with good location on north hill. Rent moderate and fine chance to build up good trade. See J. Clyde Gilligan. Phone 885. 6315-44

</

Business Goes Into "Inventory Season"

Christmas Business Showed Material Dollar-Value Slump Over 1930

Financial Situation Will Likely Strengthen After First Of Year

(International News Service) WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—American business generally went into the "inventory lull" today, where it will remain until after the first of the year.

Christmas trade, according to preliminary reports, showed a material dollar-value slump from 1930, although in volume it compared fairly well with that of past years.

Profits Cut.

Radical slashing of prices in virtually all sections of the country cut profits and values. There was a noticeable tendency toward buying cheaper presents this year.

The banking situation was somewhat more settled at the end of the year, although early in December a number of failures in New England occurred. The year was the worst the banking system has ever experienced with around 2,000 failures involving deposits of over \$1,500,000.

Officials expressed conviction, however, that the financial situation will strengthen after the turn of the year and that a large majority of the banks which have weathered the 1931 storm of depression, money hoarding and lack of demand for bank accommodations are in a strong position to meet the needs of industry and commerce.

Look to Congress.

The government looked to favorable congressional action to order a measure of assistance to banking and business and felt that if this legislation is adopted it would be extremely helpful.

The country's gold situation at the end of the year was extremely favorable. Most of the over \$700,000,000 lost in the month after Great Britain went off the gold standard has been recovered with a considerable increase in the federal reserve ratio.

Money in circulation increased but slightly at the end of November, but then made a substantial gain as a result of withdrawal because of the New England bank failures.

Stock Markets

Closed Today

(International News Service) NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—All leading financial and commodity markets will continue closed today in observance of the three-day Christmas holiday.

Banking and business institutions generally will be open, however, for the transaction of their regular activities.

ANNUAL MEETING DUE

In the Highland U. P. church, Highland and Park avenues the annual meeting of the Lawrence County Boy Scouts council will be held on Thursday, January 7 at 8 o'clock. The Men's Bible classroom will be used.

All registered councilmen are asked to be present that night as reports of 1931 will be read. Officers and members-at-large are to be nominated and elected and a 1932 budget and program of objective presented. Both registered troop in the council has a representative, and the members-at-large are also qualified voters. Local council leaders are hoping for a full attendance at this meeting.

CHAMP. EX-CHAMPS, IN L. A. OPEN

MACDONALD SMITH

ED DUDLEY

HARRY COOPER

DENNY SHUTE

BOBBY CRUICKSHANK

Golf royalty, including the defending champion and four former winners, will clash in the \$7,500 Los Angeles, Cal., open tournament, Jan. 9-11. Ed Dudley, 1931 winner and defending

Death a Puzzle



Mystery shrouds the death of John J. Visser, vice-president of a Chicago savings bank. Police believe that the banker shot himself after a quarrel with Antonius van Warden, an investor, during which it is surmised he attacked the latter with lead pipe. The theory is that Visser, believing himself to have killed Warden, committed suicide. However, that is only the police reconstruction of the affair.

Reunited by Law



Charged with abandoning her baby, Mrs. Elsie M. Morgan is shown in court at Baltimore, Md., after she had received permission from the magistrate to hold the child. The boy, who is two years old, was found in a Baltimore hotel and apparently failed to recognize his mother when she greeted him.

THEFT OF CHICKENS REPORTED TO POLICE

Sol DiLulio of 810 Harrison street, reported today that on the night of December 25, some one opened his chicken coop and stole five chickens. The thief left no trace as to his identity.

COMMITS SUICIDE

(International News Service) WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 26.—Inviting friends from Pittsburgh to witness a "real circus" Phillip Wright, 32-year old father of four, blew his head off with a shot gun yesterday at his home in New Castle, Del., near here.

Wright had made three previous attempts to end his life.

Ohio's new license tags are black and blue, probably a concession to jaywalkers.—The Philadelphia Inquirer.

CHAMP. EX-CHAMPS, IN L. A. OPEN

MACDONALD SMITH

ED DUDLEY

HARRY COOPER

DENNY SHUTE

BOBBY CRUICKSHANK

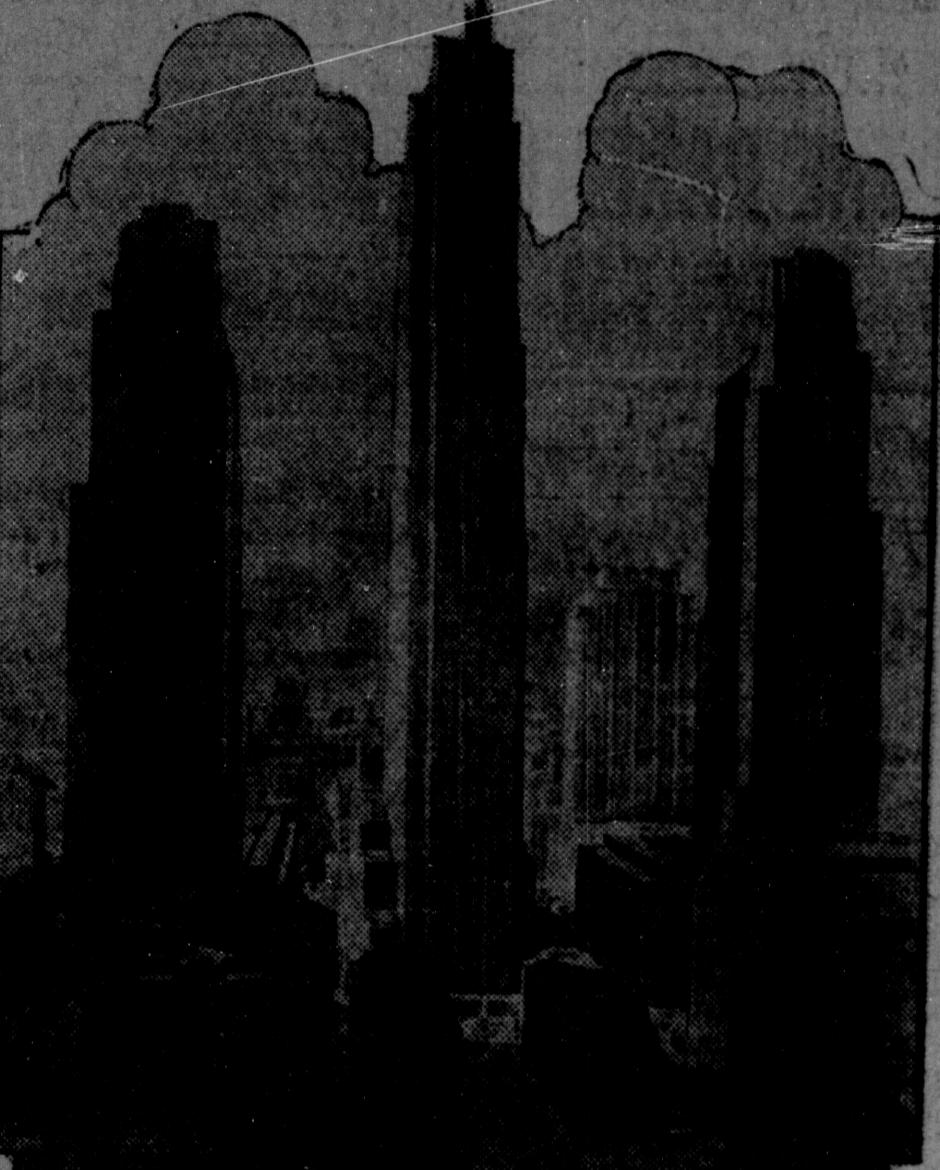
Golf royalty, including the defending champion and four former winners, will clash in the \$7,500 Los Angeles, Cal., open tournament, Jan. 9-11. Ed Dudley, 1931 winner and defending

SWEETHEART OF "LEGS" RETURNS TO SIMPLE LIFE



Trying to forge the glamor of the life she knew on Broadway as the sweetheart of Jack "Legs" Diamond, slain racketeer, Marion "Kiki" Roberts, former showgirl, has settled down with her parents in Boston, assuming her real name, Marion Strasmick, and performing the same household chores she left two years ago. On the left Marion is shown ironing the family washing; on the right she is seen preparing dinner for her mother and father, and center, a close-up of her taken at home.

Radio Heart of World



Here is a new view of what the huge Rockefeller project in New York will look like when completed. The development, known as Radio City, will cover three entire blocks and will consist of one immense structure flanked by two comparatively smaller ones, each carrying out the architect's general design. The gigantic tower in the center will house the greatest radio companies in the world.

The Toast of Paris

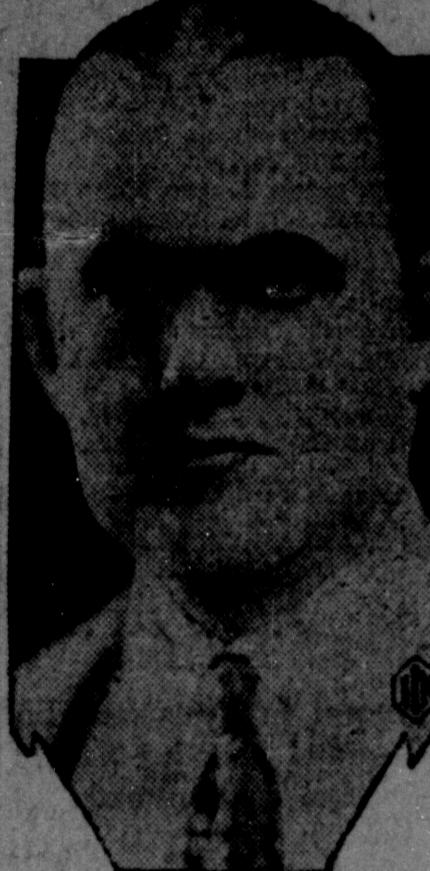


Selected as the most beautiful girl in what the French claim is beauty's capital, this charming mademoiselle has won the title of "Miss Paris" and the admiration of her fellow Parisians. Her principal duty during 1932 will be to attend beauty contests here and there as pulchritude representative of her city. Her entrancing smile alone puts two strikes upon the other competitors.

FRANK MERRIWELL'S SCHOOLDAYS



A Cunnel, Suh!



A State honored a favorite son when Bruce Reynolds, well-known author and native Kentuckian, was recently appointed aide de camp on the staff of Governor Flem D. Sampson of Kentucky. Reynolds was given the rank of Colonel in recognition of his many writings.

HOTEL BURNS
MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 26.—One person was killed and 75 others fled to safety here early today when fire swept through the St. Andrews hotel.

The body of J. M. Goodman, of Mobile, was found on the floor of his room after the blaze was brought under control. Death was due to suffocation.

Another reason we know Christmas is coming is because all other bills are due.—The Arkansas Democrat.

The Old Home Town — By Stanley



DESPERATION!



Edward Kay Is Severely Injured

Police Hear Of A Number Of Accidents On Streets Of The City

Edward Kay of 229 Hazelcroft avenue, was quite severely injured Christmas Eve on Highland avenue near Leisure avenue, when accidentally struck by the car of Albert Pitzer of the Seventh Ward.

Mr. Kay's car had skidded across the street car tracks and he had gotten out and seeing the Pitzer car coming was making an effort to get it stopped and secure some assistance.

Mr. Pitzer did not see him and struck him with considerable force, knocking him to the street. Mr. Kay was removed to the Jameson Memorial Hospital, where quite a number of stitches were placed in a bad cut in his forehead. He also suffered a bad cut on the left leg and other injuries of a minor character. He was later removed to his home, but owing to his condition, it is feared that he may have to be returned to the hospital for further treatment.

H. N. Tyrrell of New Castle R. D. reported Friday that he was enroute west on State street at Grant street and had stopped and let one machine go past, when a car bearing Ohio license 767620 going east on Grant street hit and damaged his car. A lady in the Ohio license car sustained a cut over the right eye.

Harry Wilkins of New Castle R. D. No. 3 reported that he was enroute east on North street at Mill street when his machine was in a collision with a car bearing Pennsylvania license S3508 enroute north on Mill street. They were both damaged some.

Dan Pitzer of 930 West Washington street reported that he was enroute north on South Mill street at the bridge, when the car of George Kutches of 419 Waldo street enroute in the same direction, hit the rear of his car, doing some damage.

S. B. Reed of 708 Emerson avenue reported that he was enroute south on North Jefferson street, when a car bearing Pennsylvania license S5065 enroute in the same direction at Wallace avenue, hit and damaged his car.

Existing ordinances set the term and the salary which cannot be changed during the term.

WILLARD AVENUE BOY IS MISSING

Francis Watt, of 212 Willard avenue, on Christmas Day, was reported to the police as having been missing from his home since December 21, 1931. He is described as being sixteen years of age, five feet six inches in height, and weighing 130 pounds. He was dressed in a brown cap, blue suit with white stripes and a grey, and brown overcoat.

"Such a course of action is a serious error, and may often result in chronically impaired health for the child, who has not been wisely guided through an attack of some communicable disease. He may recover, but with the marks of the

Council Continues Budget Discussion

The bureau of fire in the public safety department today received further pruning. Wednesday the tentative appropriation was \$87,886. At the conclusion of today's session the amount was tentatively set at \$83,786, which represents a slash from \$94,386 in 1931, a saving of \$10,600.

The saving of \$10,600 came from the tentative elimination of \$2,100 for firemen to work during the vacation period, \$500 off the salary of Councilmen-elect D. O. Davies, \$2,000 for fire house (a cut of \$2,000) and \$6,000 for equipment. (The tentative amount was appropriated in 1931 for the Second Ward fire truck.)

During the session Councilman Stanley Tresser informed colleagues that \$2,000 could be cut from the fund for the opening, care, maintenance, repair, keeping in order and cleaning of streets. The street department fund for this was tentatively set at \$2,000 Wednesday but was cut to \$40,000 today which left a tentative appropriation of \$52,400 for street and public improvements.

The council requested the presence of Louis Round, vice president of the Pennsylvania Power system in an effort to ascertain if there could be any saving on the cost of illuminating streets. Mr. Round and council discussed the matter for an hour and definite information will be had by council when they and Mr. Round convene again Monday.

Children's Diseases Need Serious Treatment

(Special To The News)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 26.—Now that we are in the midst of the seasonal high tide of communicable diseases, especially among children,

malady upon him to handicap him as long as he lives.

"And further—failure to notify the doctor so that the needed steps may be taken to protect the community by quarantine is wrong, for such a course of action may result in an epidemic in the community. While it may be true that the case in point is of a mild type, from just such types as that, infection may run riot, and spread through a whole section, bringing more serious and even fatal cases, in their train.

"Unwilling to submit to the rigid requirements of a quarantine, which would doubtless be ordered, they refuse to call in the family physician, and undertake the dubious and dangerous method of treating the child with home remedies, in order that their convenience may not be invaded with a placard on the home, and a strict injunction about going in and out.

"Such a course of action is a serious error, and may often result in chronically impaired health for the child, who has not been wisely guided through an attack of some communicable disease. He may recover, but with the marks of the

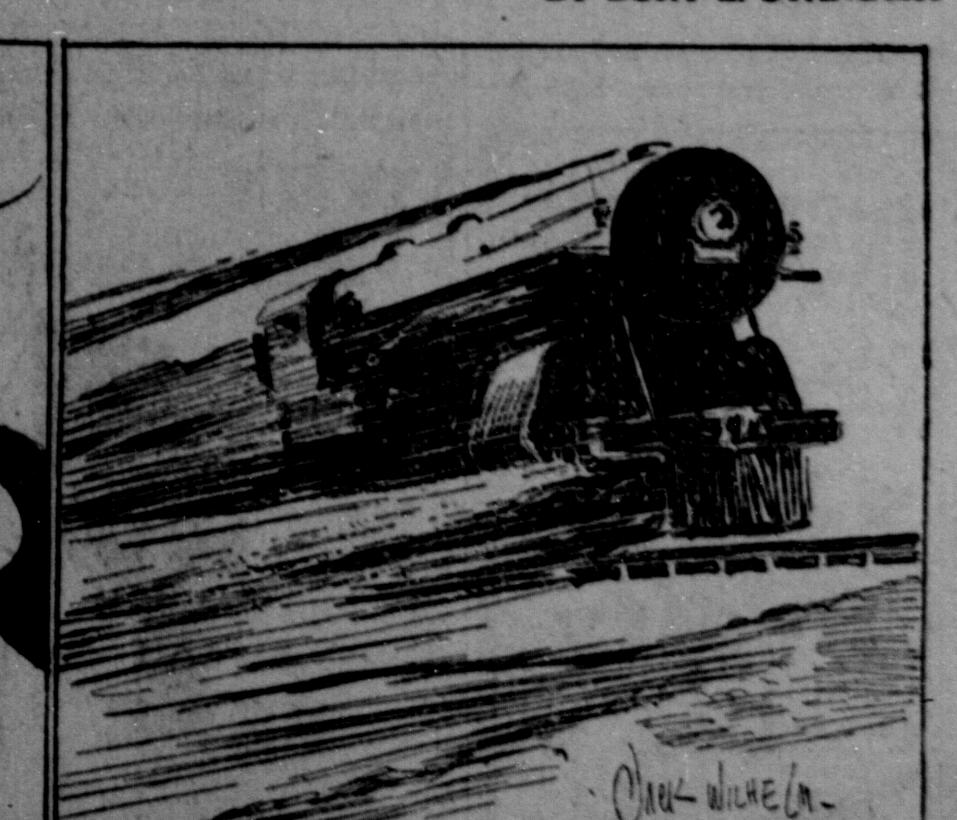
neighborhood, and is placed there for a wise purpose. To ignore it, is to take a chance that is neither wise nor safe."

Illinois man followed his wife in death after 68 years of married life without one quarrel. Resting in peace could have no novelty for them.—The Cleveland News.

Just Among Us Girls



BY BURT L. STANDISH



Fort Necessity Has Been Located, Site Believed Correct

Harvard Professor Emeritus Surveys Site And Makes Identification

Citizens Of Uniontown Have Long Had Dispute About Fort's Location

(International News Service) UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 26.—Fifteen years of uncertainty over location of fort necessity, pre-revolutionary military stronghold built by George Washington during the French and Indian wars, was finally been dissipated.

Site of the redoubt has been determined definitely by Prof. Albert H. Hart, historian of the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission and Professor Emeritus of history at Harvard University, after a visit here.

Prof. Hart came here at the request of a group of persons interested in reconstruction of the fort, and has decided the fort actually stood on the low, marshy ground where reconstruction work is going forward.

States Reputation
"I am willing to stake my reputation as an American history expert on it," Prof. Hart said. "It has been a debated question for 15 years whether the fort stood on the low site or up on the nearby hill. When I first saw the site 15 years ago, people pooh-poohed the idea the fort was located on that marshy ground. Why down there? They asked."

"There is a running stream nearby, which was exactly what Washington needed for his fort. Also, the openness of the surrounding country made it difficult for an enemy to creep up. Cannon balls found in the ground there indicate it was the center of a siege. For 15 years I have defended the site. Now I am justified. There is no question of a doubt."

LOOKING BACK IN NEW CASTLE

FISH KILLING BEING PROBED

State Board Investigates Fish Destruction In Susquehanna River

Delving once more into the Civil War history of New Castle and Lawrence county, it is found that Companies A, B, D and H of the famous One Hundred and Thirty-Fourth Pennsylvania Infantry were raised in New Castle and Lawrence county in compliance with the call of July, 1862, by Governor Curtin. They volunteered for nine months service. Company I of the same regiment was raised in Lawrence and Beaver counties. It rendezvoused at Camp Curtin and was ordered away before its organization was effected. It moved on to Washington, D. C., August 20, 1862, and was attached to the provisional corps commanded by General Casey at Arlington Heights. There the organization was effected with Matthew S. Quay as colonel and Edward O'Brien of New Castle as lieutenant-colonel. It was brigaded with Twenty-Ninth Pennsylvania regiments and the brigade placed under the command of General E. B. Tyler. They got into stirring action in the last struggle of the battle of Fredericksburg, and in the brief space they were in the conflict lost 14 killed, 106 wounded and 16 missing. In this engagement, in addition to facing the fire of the men in front, they had the misfortune of being fired on from the rear. In the spring of 1863 the brigade participated in the movement against Lee, which ended with the defeat at Chancellorsville, in which Colone O'Brien and his men made a brave stand until their ammunition gave out. After this battle the regiment was shortly mustered out at Harrisburg May 26, 1863, the term of enlistment of the men having expired.

EDENBURG

SCHOOL OUT

The Independent School closed Wednesday for a two weeks vacation. A delightful Christmas program was given by the school children and the pupils were given a treat by the teachers, Miss Rainey and Mr. Conway.

EDENBURG NOTES

Randall Park of Slippery Rock State Teachers' College has returned home to spend his Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hofmeister and Mrs. Bessie Copes attended the benefit program at Hilltown Tuesday evening where Bessie Hofmeister gave a reading.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Coates and daughter Norene and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parks and children, Joe and

ANGRY BULL CAUSE FOR BLAZE IN BARN

(International News Service) DANVILLE, Pa., Dec. 26.—An angry bull was blamed for a \$5,000 fire on the farm of Joseph Zelisoff, near here. The animal, it was believed, leaped over the manger and charged against a hanging lantern, shattering the globe and scattering burning kerosene about the barn.

WAKE UP!

For That Tired Feeling
Take Our

SYRUP
HYPOPHOSPHITES

A good reconstructive tonic
and builder, pint bottle 89c

NEW CASTLE DRUG CO.

31 East Washington
and 44 North Mill Sts.

BREAD for better groceries

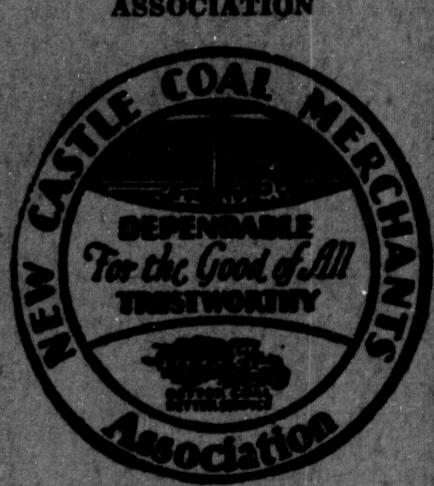
Value!
Costs you less because we
make it ourselves

Our Home Made

Large Wrapped Loaf 7c

Butler's

Buy Your Coal With
Confidence From Members of
NEW CASTLE COAL
MERCHANTS
ASSOCIATION



Lang's Market

Phone 2455 and 3400

IT WILL PAY YOU
to Shop Here for
Quality Meats,
Groceries and
Produce
FREE DELIVERY

104 West Washington St.

Bostonian SHOES

AT A
NEW LOW PRICE

\$6.50 to \$9.00

The Winter Co.

Compare! There is a
Difference!

GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY TIRES

Lifetime Guarantee!

Just Look at These Prices:

30x3 1/2	.....	\$3.75
29x4.40	.....	\$4.35
30x4.50	.....	\$4.55
28x4.75	.....	\$5.65
29x5.00	.....	\$6.95

Bill Braatz
Service

101-125 South Mercer St.

412 Croton Ave. Phone 6061

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY TIRES

Lifetime Guarantee!

Just Look at These Prices:

30x3 1/2	.....	\$3.75
29x4.40	.....	\$4.35
30x4.50	.....	\$4.55
28x4.75	.....	\$5.65
29x5.00	.....	\$6.95

Bill Braatz
Service

101-125 South Mercer St.

412 Croton Ave. Phone 6061

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street

FREE

S. & H. Green Discount
Stamps With All Purchases.

WHY Pay More?

Get It At

Love & Megown

"THE DRUGGISTS"
204 E. Washington Street